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DEMPSEY KNOCKED OUT CARPENTIER IN FOURTH ROUND WITH UNMERCIFUL BEATING

Challenger was Outclassed from the Start, But Gamely Stood
Up to the Champion--Over Ninety Thousand People
Saw the Contest for the Heavyweight Champion-
ship of the World Today.

By Associated Press.

Ringside, Jersey City, July 2.—
Georges Carpentier finished flat on
his face, his legs and arms outstretch-
ed, in the fourth round. Jack Demp-
sey, the world's heavyweight cham-
pion, knocked him out a few seconds
after the round opened, sending him
heavily to the canvas with a short
right hook to the chin. The actual
time of fighting in the fourth round
was one minute and 16 seconds. Pre-
vious to the knockout Carpentier was
floored with a left to the body and a
right to the chin. Carpentier took a
count of nine before springing to his
feet, where the grim and determined
Dempsey measured him with a punch
to the chin which ended the battle.
Dempsey stood over the fallen French
idol until the count was finished and
then tenderly picked up the bleeding
and dazed Frenchman and dragged
him to his corner. Dempsey gave
Carpentier an unmerciful beating.

He opened up a cut under the
Frenchman's eye and battered him
viciously around the head with vic-
ious rights and lefts until Carpentier's
face was swollen and bleeding. Car-
pentier fought gamely back at the
champion, but he was outclassed.
Once he was half knocked and half
pushed through the ropes and most of
the time was going away from the
champion. Dempsey kept after him,
driving him to the corner whenever
he had an opportunity. Carpentier
was out for a few seconds. Manager
Descamps applied first aid as quickly
as the dazed Frenchman dropped into
his chair. The police immediately
climbed into the ring and made a
path for the champion and Carpentier
to go to their dressing rooms.

No Preliminary Decisions.
Ninety-one thousand six hundred
seats were sold. In the preliminaries
no decisions were allowed under the
New Jersey laws.

At 2:57 Carpentier entered the ring
and two minutes later Dempsey
came in. Carpentier wore a long
gray bathrobe over his fighting
trunks. Dempsey entered in white
silk fighting trunks and a maroon
sweater coat. He greeted the French
challenger with a friendly "Hello,
George," when they shook hands in
the center of the ring. Dempsey won
in the fourth round with a knockout.
Challenged the Winner.

Benjamin Hayes, Jack Kearns, Mike
Trant and Bernard Dempsey, the
champion's brother, were in Demp-
sey's corner, with Manager Kearns in
charge. Descamps, Journeys and
Eddie Ledoux were in charge of Car-
pentier's corner, and demanded the
right to examine the hand bandages.
He excitedly pushed Dempsey's sec-
onds away and watched carefully as
the tape was wound on Dempsey's
hands.

Mayor Hague of Jersey City and
officials of the New Jersey boxing
commission were introduced from the
center ring. While this was going on
Carpentier kept constantly looking
aloft at two airplanes soaring over-
head. Governor Edwards of New
Jersey was called into the ring and
introduced. Bill Brennan was intro-
duced and challenged the winner.
There was a delay of a few min-
utes while Dempsey's hands were be-
ing bandaged.

A Frenzy of Excitement.

New York, July 2.—New York's
entire metropolitan area, which
reaches out and embraces the now
famous "Boyle's thirty acres" in
Jersey City, seethed today with a
frenzy of excitement wholly unpre-
cedented in the annals of sport as the
hour rolled slowly on for the "battle
of the century"—the fistic clash for
the world's heavyweight champion-
ship between Dempsey, the Ameri-
can title holder, and Carpentier, the
idol and champion of Europe.

New York's mansions and gorgeous
hotels early began disgorging bril-
liant parties of men and women in-
tent on threading in ample time the

cluttered highways leading to Rick-
ard's mammoth arena in Jersey City.
The less opulent fight fans began a
scramble toward Jersey City by ferry,
flivver and train. Even the earliest
arrivals today found themselves out-
generalled by an advance guard of
about 300 persons who spent the
night in line at the arena waiting for
the first crack at the unreserved
seats. They breakfasted on hard-
boiled eggs, "hot dogs" and coffee at
the sandwich stands of vendors en-
circling the arena.

Purchasers who bought seats from
speculators at advances of 400 to 500
per cent groaned today when they
learned that some "scalpers," becom-
ing panic-stricken, cut the prices 20
to 30 per cent.

New York newspapers, whose ac-
counts of the fight today measured
pages instead of columns were a study
in superlatives. The fight is describ-
ed as "the greatest heavy weight en-
counter in the history of sport."

Besides prominent officials of the
nation, the state and the city, the
throngs of spectators includes scient-
ists, artists, theatrical stars, impres-
sarios, men whose name are famous
in every field of sport, and just plain
citizens. Several hundred police in
uniform and plain clothes mingled
with the spectators.

Odds favoring the champion were
shortened markedly in the last hours
of betting, but Dempsey still reigned
two or two and one-half to one the
favorite. Carpentier, however, ruled
the sentimental favorite.

The newspapers today describe
Dempsey as "the greatest heavy-
weight champion since John L. Sul-
livan," while the handsome French-
man who has been called variously
"a Greek god," the "mystery man,"
"the man of destiny," and "the won-
der man," is acclaimed as "the great-
est heavyweight that Europe has
produced." The bout unquestionably
has excited the greatest interest ever
aroused by a pugilistic encounter. The
crowd which was struggling its way
toward the arena all the forenoon as-
sembled from every corner of the
world. National, state and city of-
ficials of prominence are among the
spectators.

Opened at Noon.

Ringside, Jersey City, July 2.—The
carnival of blows opened at 12:10
with preliminaries between Micky
Delmont, and Jacky Curtin. The
gates of the fight arena opened at
9:45.

Society women, shop girls, the mer-
chant prince and the \$20 a week clerk
were all present in the arena. Fight-
ing their way to the arena, the ex-
cited mass of people streamed into
the arena from all directions. It was
a case of fight to see the fight. The
tubes under the Hudson river should
have bulged with the mass of human-
ity that passed through them. The
crowd had many things to talk about.
Everyone had something in common
which led to conversation between
men and women from Fifth avenue
and the lower East side, Chicago,
America and Europe, as foreign to
one another as a prince and a
pauper, with interests as varied as
those of the lawyer and the ditch
digger, for all were there.

At the ringside the men confined
themselves chiefly to technical de-
tails and the women analyzed the
boxers' looks. The fighting jaw of
the American which they had come
to know in the movies apparently
fascinated some, while with others
it was the smile of the dashing young
Frenchman that cast a spell. There
were many gasps of dismay when the
word passed down the line that Car-
pentier, described by one English
writer as "a Greek god with a punch,"
would fight without the wavy blonde
pompadour which he had cut off.

The international aspect of the af-
fair was apparent in the flags and
ribbons carried and worn by the
spectators. The Stars and Stripes

predominated. After sitting for hours
in the wooden bowl beneath a lower-
ing sky, the spectators shrugged the
kinks out of their backs, polished
their glasses and prepared to view
the world's greatest fight in the
world's greatest arena. An airplane
circled low over the stands taking
pictures as the gong sounded.

Just before the third prelimi-
nary bout started Governor Edwards en-
tered the arena. "Hail to the chief!"
cried the announcer through his am-
plifier, and the crowd "hailed," show-
ing the first signs of enthusiasm of
the day. The announcement was
made at 1 o'clock that the house was
sold out.

Between the rounds of prelimina-
ries there encircled the ring a plump
lad of some 180 pounds with the
benign features of a cherub in white
ducks. He bore aloft a sign proclaim-
ing the round. The crowd was pa-
thetic, munching lunch as the preli-
minaries wended their weary way
through the program. At 1:15 there
began a sprinkle of short duration.
Only the "rail birds" with nothing
but the wide world behind them
dared to raise their umbrellas.

Round One.

They were sent away at 3:10. Car-
pentier landed a light left and clinch-
ed. Carpentier landed a right. They
fought at close range in a clinch.
Dempsey was short with a left to the
head. Carpentier missed a right, but
connected with a left hook. Dempsey
punched him, beating him unmerciful-
ly. Carpentier was groggy and bleed-
ing at the nose. Dempsey missed a
right swing, but beat Carpentier as
they clinched. Carpentier fell through
the ropes trying to avoid a punch.
He flew into Dempsey when he
crawled back into the ring.

Round Two.

Carpentier missed with a left and
clinched. Carpentier lacked away
and Dempsey hooked him with a right
to the jaw. Dempsey followed after
him, beating him around the head
with rights. Carpentier was short
with the left hook, but he staggered
the champion with six rights and
lefts to the jaw. Dempsey staggered
back a bit and split the Frenchman's
left eye with a hook. The cut was
under the eye. Carpentier missed a
right swing. Dempsey missed a right
swing. They exchanged body punches
in the clinch as the bell rang.

Round Three.

Carpentier ducked a left hook.
Dempsey backed into the ropes and
hit him with a short right. Carpen-
tier landed two upper cuts to the
body in a clinch. As they clinched,
Dempsey punched the invader in the
jaw and Carpentier nearly fell down
when he missed the swing. They
missed lefts to the head and Dempsey
punched Carpentier viciously in the
infighting. Dempsey landed a left
and right hook to the jaw. Carpen-
tier's right swing was short and
Dempsey clubbed him on the jaw
with left hooks in the clinch. Demp-
sey battered Carpentier into the cor-
ner with rights and lefts at the bell.
The bell saved Carpentier from a
knockout. Dempsey's round.

Round Four.

Dempsey rushed Carpentier to the
ropes and a left to the body made
him wince. Carpentier landed a right
to the head and tried to hand on.
Counting him out, Dempsey wins.
Dempsey wins in the fourth round by
a knockout.

Paris Newspapers.

Paris, July 2.—The crashing of
banks, wars, cabinet crises, repara-
tions, Silesia and other public ques-
tions all were thrust into the back-
ground in today's newspapers, which
gave the most prominent place to

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From Friday's Daily.

OUR OBLIGATIONS.

Through the action of congress in reducing the army to a figure much less than the actual personnel, our country is in the position of having deliberately broken a contract into which it entered.

The contract is not merely a verbal one, nor is it in any way implied or suggested. The government for its part enters into an agreement to feed, clothe, shelter and otherwise care for the party of the second part, the soldier, in return for which the soldier agrees to give honest and faithful service during the period of his enlistment, and both parties sign the contract, to which the soldier is obliged to take a solemn oath.

Should the soldier, for any reason, break his contract, dire penalties are imposed by law. For desertion in the face of the enemy he may even be sentenced to pay the death penalty. And all during his service he is liable to wounds or death in the line of duty, as well as sickness incurred through no fault of his own, which may result in death.

The government, if this latest act of congress is upheld, may break its contract at will, without any further reason alleged than that it no longer desired the services of a certain proportion of the men whom it had contracted to employ for a stated period.

This is merely from the legal standpoint. From the moral standpoint, the government is placed in the position of shamefully failing to live up to an agreement made in a time of need—need on the part of the government, not on the part of the men who enlisted—and of throwing some thousands of men out of employment for no fault of their own; and that at a time when the official estimates of unemployment throughout the country reach a figure as high as two millions.

The men, most of them, wanted to serve their country. They may have been led to enlist by a desire to better themselves, to secure an employment that was desirable for several reasons; but they did voluntarily offer their services and were accepted after a more or less rigid examination, physical, mental and moral, and they had every reason to expect the government to live up to its promise.

The United States has statutes providing for the punishment of those who break contracts, with a provision for suits for damages on the part of the aggrieved parties. And there is a certain shame attaching to a private individual, a firm or a corporation that breaks a contract, a certain stigma that is hard to remove.

Congress was anxious "in the interests of economy," reduce the army. Very well, they should have announced that all men with a good record who had a certain number of months or years to serve, should be granted their discharge upon application, and they should be given credit for the full period of enlistment the same as if they had completed it.

Then, if this was not enough to reduce the army to the required maximum of 150,000, enough times should have been given in which to permit the enlistment period of a sufficient number of men to expire, during which period no new enlistments should be made, and no recruits should be advertised for as needed or desired.

There are still many men in the army who are desirous of completing their retirement service. There are others who are well satisfied with the service under present conditions—which, by the way, are better than ever in the history of our army—and who desire to complete their enlistment period.

Many of these men will go out of the service with but little money saved and without having learned any useful trade or occupation, which was the reason for many of them enlisting. What is the government going to do about them? For that matter, what is the government doing for many of the men who gave good and faithful service and who are now unable through disability to maintain themselves decently?

A HIGH HONOR.

Former President William H. Taft has been nominated to be chief justice of the United States supreme court, the highest honor except that of the presidency in this country.

What makes it more remarkable is that Mr. Taft has also held the highest office, that of president, and it was he who some ten years ago appointed Chief Justice White, whom he is to succeed.

Judge Taft has given the greater part of his life to the judicial functions. During his incumbency as president of the Philippine Commission and afterward as governor general of the islands, and even as president of the United States, he continued to be more the jurist than the executive.

It was as a jurist that he was recognized in the Philippines, and many of the laws adopted by the commission of that country were considered such as to be able to stand the acid test of judicial scrutiny because most of them passed first through the hands of Judge Taft and of Judge Ide, the distinguished jurist who recently died and who was one of the most important members of the commission.

The discussion that preceded the adoption of the various laws in the

chambers of the commission in Manila resembled more the proceedings in a court than those of a legislature. The proposed laws were read, first in English and then in Spanish, which was adopted as the official language of the islands for a term of years, and one by one the members of the commission, as well as residents of the city—for the main part attorneys representing various interests, discussed their advisability and their probable effect, much as would lawyers arguing a point of law.

During Judge Taft's tenure of office as president, it was recognized by many that the questions of jurisdiction occupied more of his attention than those of statecraft, that he had the "judicial mind" rather than that of an executive.

There was much disappointment because President Wilson did not appoint Judge Taft to a seat on the supreme bench at the beginning of his administration. While Mr. Wilson himself was an attorney, and not by any means a mediocre one, he was more of the statesman than the judge, and to this may be attributed the great change that followed his incumbency as successor to President Taft. Judge Taft is the author of several works on jurisprudence. He is recognized as a foremost teacher of law, and many of his decisions while on the bench are still considered as good authority and precedent.

There are some who will consider that other members of the supreme court are entitled to more consideration because of their long service than is Judge Taft. But the appointment is made as much because of his previous position as president of the United States as because he is a United States jurist.

Some years ago a writer seriously asked "What shall we do with our ex-presidents?" At that time Grover Cleveland was still living, and the fact that he had not been offered any of the several posts to which he might have lent dignity was considered as a slight.

Roosevelt solved the question as related to himself by becoming a great editorial writer. Judge Taft took up the career of a teacher of law. Former President Wilson is now practicing before the bar of the District of Columbia supreme court. And now we have a former president appointed to be the chief justice of our supreme court.

There is no doubt that Judge Taft will make a good, if not a great, chief justice. He said several years ago that his one ambition was to sit on the bench of our highest court, but there seemed no probability that his ambition would be realized.

Affable, calm and judicious, with a saving sense of humor and good health, there is no reason why Judge Taft, as chief justice of the highest tribunal, should not give added dignity to that court.

FORT McINTOSH NOTES.

There will be a dance for the enlisted men of the Post at the War Department Theatre tomorrow night. Mrs. J. P. Purron and Mrs. Geo. A. Spreckelmyer will act as hostesses. Refreshments will be served.

The Post baseball team will leave tomorrow noon for Corpus Christi, where they will meet the Corpus Christi team in two games, one played on the 3rd and the second game being played the 4th. A number of officers and men from the Post will accompany the team on the trip.

A lawn fete will be given by the officers of the Post on the evening of the 4th. Invitations have been sent out to guests from the city. The tennis courts will be transformed into a dancing pavilion and music will be furnished by the Hawaiian Orchestra. Major Kobe, Captain Moncre and Captain Goodwyn will be the committee in charge.

Laredo Has 1st Class Scout.

Scout Holcomb M. Austin, the son of Dr. H. M. Austin, has the honor of being the first Boy Scout under Laredo Council to pass his tests of Scout First Class. Scout 1st Class Austin is a member of Troop 1, of which Carlos Richter is Scout Master. Scout 1st Class Austin passed the test with the very high percentage of 98 per cent out of a possible 100.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day: Tonight and Saturday partly cloudy.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today: Max. temp. 99 degs. Min. temp. 77 degs. General direction of wind: Southeast. Clear.

THE POOR THING!

"Isn't he the very image of his father?" exclaimed Mrs. Jones with pride as she displayed her latest offspring. "Well," said the visitor judiciously, "he does look like his dad, but I wouldn't let that worry you as long as he is healthy."—The Transmitter (Texas).

A PICTURE THAT EVERYONE WILL ENJOY—FOR A REASON

Charley Ray at Rialto Brings Back to You Memories of Those Days When You Were a Carefree Kid.

Those who went to the Rialto Theatre yesterday afternoon or last night to witness the big First National production starring Charles Ray in "The Old Swimmin' Hole" saw a picture that recalled to them memories of boyhood and girlhood days and of happy days of carefree youth. As Ezra, the country schoolboy, Charles Ray does justice to a difficult role and many a man last night saw in Ray the very duplicate of the boy he himself was when a youngster attending school.

The women in the play, especially during the schoolroom and picnic scenes, recalls to the women of today the girls they were in the yesteryears. The play could not be better, for it is a First National production, and while there were large audiences out yesterday to see "The Old Swimmin' Hole," there will be larger crowds on hand this afternoon and tonight. Go to the Rialto Theatre and see this picture and let your memories go back to your childhood.

To Automobile Owners.

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KIWANIS HAD GOOD MEETING AND AN ENJOYABLE PROGRAM

Talks Made By Mexican Consul General Guillermo S. Seguin, Dr. H. C. Hall and Matias de Llano.

The Laredo Kiwanis Club, which now has a membership of about 75 members had an attendance of 73½ per cent at the meeting held at the Hamilton Cafe yesterday, presided over by Clarence M. Henry. The attendance prize, a gold knife presented by the Webb County Lumber Co., was won by Sam W. Brown. The following guests were present: Dr. H. C. Hall, Dr. Valentin L. Puig, Jr., Mexican Consul General Guillermo S. Seguin, Matias de Llano, Pat Devine and S. Prestige.

As the services on the "eats" program was rather slow after the members had sung "America," led by Mendell Morgan, with Mrs. Flora Dilgarde Anderson as accompanist, there was group singing of "Dixie."

Mexican Consul General Guillermo S. Seguin, the honor guest and speaker of the day, made a much appreciated talk in which he lauded the spirit of the Kiwanis organization and the apparent co-operation of its membership and urged them to always stand shoulder to shoulder for their own good, the good of their community and "for the good that they might do" at all times. He said he was glad to be in Laredo and hoped he would be her a long time, for he was pleased with Laredo people and wanted to be a part of Laredo.

Following the singing of "Nobody Knows How Hungry I Am," short talks were made by Matias de Llano on "I Am a Rotarian and We Don't Have to Sing a Lullaby to Get Something to Eat," while Dr. Hall spoke on "Faith"—that he had abiding faith in the ability of the Rotarian ball team to beat the Kiwanian ball team, and said that he was one of the umpires.

The club endorsed Corpus Christi as a deep water port and Representative W. T. Neblett was appointed as chairman of a committee to draft a suitable set of resolutions on the subject. After disposing of some routine matters there was group singing of "Massa's in the Cold, Cold Ground," and then the song, "It's a Hard Thing to Beat Kiwanis," the latter dedicated to Dr. Hall. The meeting closed with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Observe the Fourth.

The Piggly Wiggly will be closed all day Monday, July 4th. 7-12t.

Studying the Situation.

Mr. T. R. Crumley, president of the General Engineering and Management Corporation and vice president of the Laredo Water Company, arrived today from New York. He will spend several days in our city going over the situation and studying development needs of the company.

William Russell in City Play.

When a Wall Street magnate walks into a death trap set for him by a criminal gang, defies the peril which confronts him—for love of a girl—and battles desperately for his life in an underworld den; and when these things are set forth in a love romance by a celebrated author and translated to the screen by a well-known producer, it is safe to say that here is "some" motion picture. All of which is by way of announcing that the William Fox picture "Children of Night"—story by Max Brand—is to be presented at the Royal Theatre tomorrow, and William Russell is the star—which increases the joy of expectancy.

AIRSHIPS FOR THE MEXICAN MAIL SERVICE ARE ARRIVING

BIG CRUISER SHIP ARRIVES TOGETHER WITH TWO OTHERS.

Small Planes to Be Used in Commercial Service and Big Planes Will Be Used in Mexican Air Route.

E. C. Hammond, treasurer of the Nebraska Airship Corporation of Lincoln, Nebraska, J. J. Winship, general manager of the Mexico Aerial Transportation Co. of Tampico, together with three Curtiss H-O. planes, one of them of the cruiser type, arrived in Laredo yesterday, having made the flight from Lincoln, Neb., to the border. They crossed to the Mexican side of the Rio Grande and are now in the yards of the National Lines of Railways of Mexico, from where they will resume their flight to Mexico City within the next three or four days.

Two of the ships are of the same pattern as the two being used in the border patrol service on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande, and all were purchased by the Mexican government, though some of the planes may be leased to concerns for commercial purposes and in carrying patrols from one place to another. A total of twenty-five more planes have been contracted for by the Mexican government from the Nebraska Airship Corporation and are to be delivered within the next twelve months.

The cruiser ship is of a large and modern type, carries the crew and also four passengers in ballast, being able to accommodate a tonnage of 1,300 pounds. It has a 220-horsepower engine, wing spread of 44 feet and 7 inches and has a maximum speed of 130 miles per hour, or from 105 to 120 miles at regular flying speed. The cruiser ship will be the first airplane used in the Mexican aerial mail service and is to be installed in service within the next month to carry Mexican mail between Mexico City and Tampico. As soon as other cruiser ships are delivered they will be installed in the mail-carrying service between different cities of Mexico, including one from Saltillo and Monterrey to and from Nuevo Laredo. As soon as the three planes now in Nuevo Laredo are delivered to the Mexican government they will be turned over to the Mexican aviators, who will take charge of and fly them.

Announcement.
* The Latin-American Club *
* will give a grand ball Monday *
* evening, July 4th, beginning at *
* 9 o'clock sharp, in commemora- *
* tion of the anniversary of *
* American Independence. The *
* roof garden will be opened on *
* this occasion for the serving of *
* refreshments. *
* The Committee. *
* 6-29-4t. *

A Splendid Medicine for the Stomach and Liver.

"Chamberlain's Tablets for the stomach and liver are splendid. I never tire of telling my friends and neighbors of their qualities," writes Mrs. William Vollmer, Eastwood, N. Y. When bilious, constipated or troubled with indigestion, give them a trial. They will do you good.

CONCERT WAS MUCH ENJOYED BY BIG CROWD ABOUT PLAZA

Selections Rendered by the 17th Infantry Band on Jarvis Plaza Last Night Drew Large Crowd.

The weekly concert given by the 17th Infantry Band took place on Jarvis Plaza last night beginning at 8:15 o'clock, and a large and appreciative crowd assembled on and about the plaza to enjoy the program of selections rendered by this popular musical organization.

The automobile nuisance was in evidence last night, and despite the threat of Mayor Villegas that he would have to have the plaza roped off unless the ostentatious automobilists desisted from the practice of "ringing around" the plaza during a concert, it looks like he will now have to make his threat good, for there are people who can not go to a concert without making a show of their little honk honk—and this must stop, as people are paying money to have these concerts and not to hear the uncanny screech of auto horns.

THE WEST TEXAS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PARTY RETURNED

Passed Through Laredo Yesterday Evening on Their Homeward Way After Delightful Tour of Mexico.

The special train carrying the 100 members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which passed through Laredo on its way to Mexico on the afternoon of Sunday, June 19, returned to Laredo late yesterday afternoon and after about an hour spent in this city, proceeded northward last night. Among the members aboard the train were some of the most prominent and largest ranchmen in Texas, including R. J. Kleberg and son, of Kingsville, and numerous of the Central and West Texas cattlemen. The delegation were all delighted with their tour of Mexico and report having had a most enjoyable trip.

Watch THE TIMES everyday for opportunities. 60c. per month.



—The following marriage license was issued yesterday by the county clerk: Harry J. Granoff and Miss Bessie Gorin.

—Mrs. del Barrio, 118 Hidalgo St. does hemstitching, picotting, dress-making, alterations of all kinds. Prices and work will please. 6-21-15t.

—Walter Brown, manager of the Laredo Abstract Company, has commenced business at Room 21, Bertani building. Phone 306. 6-15-tf.

—The game of baseball between the Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs to decide the championship of Laredo in Railways of Mexico, from where they so far as those two organizations are concerned, is scheduled for this afternoon at Caliche Park. The players all hope to be in condition to be able to hear the returns of the big fight tomorrow.

—We do multigraph work; 1109 Iturbide street. 6-8-1m.

—A. Saft, books and stationery. 6-7-tf.

—Gasoline 17c per gallon in barrel lots. Auto Supply Company, Phone 1414. 6-2-tf.

—Tomorrow afternoon at Caliche Park there will be a double-header between teams of the Commercial League, and on Sunday afternoon a double-header between teams of the Laredo Baseball League.

—Mrs. Jovita Idar Juarez, translator of commercial and legal papers, circulars, etc. Typewriting and copying. Telephone 1203. 6-1-1m.

—Piano tuning and repairing. Work guaranteed. Phone 1045. 6-8-1m.

—This is July 1, tomorrow is July 2, the day of the Dempsey-Carpentier battle for the world's heavyweight championship. Tomorrow The Times will carry the details of the result of the fight. Monday is the Glorious Fourth, and then we can all celebrate.

—Philadelphia diamond grid battery sales and service. Phone 646. 6-11-tf.

—If you need a plumber in a hurry. Phone 1203 Juarez Plumbing. 3-16-tt.

—The Times has been the recipient of an unappreciated serenade made by the "music" of the street roller for the past two days. It never changes its tune, but after one becomes accustomed to the notes they become monotonous.

—Cut flowers and floral offerings. Green, the florist. Phone Crockett 4104. Avenue C, at 8th St., San Antonio, Texas. 2-3-tt.

—Do you desire comfort? Use electric fans and fans. 4-14-tt.

—Quite a few Laredo people will leave here at noon tomorrow over the Texas-Mexican road for Corpus Christi to take in the big Fourth of July celebration which begins there tomorrow and concludes on Monday night. On Monday there will be a big bathing girl revue held in Corpus. Oh, boy!

—We paint automobiles; also make auto tops. Fidel Cantu, Phone 202. 6-15-tt.

—Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, a Times office; residence 812 Farrago street. Residence phone 348. 4-27-tt.

—If it is neat and accurate job printing that you want send your orders to The Times job department. Expert workmanship and the best of materials. 1-2-tt.

Notice of Removal.

I have removed my office quarters from the Vails building to the Wilcox building, upstairs, with entrance near telegraph office. I have installed a new powerful X-ray outfit and am able to care for all X-ray work.

E. H. SAUVIGNET, M. D. 6-15-1m.

The Same Everywhere.

The editor of Palsa Akhbar, a native newspaper of Lahore, India, says, "I have used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy many times among my children and servants, for colic and diarrhoea and always found it effective."

A DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY.

JULY 1.

1764—Lord Plunket, the great Irish orator who through his prosecution of Robert Emmet, rose to great distinction, born. Died Jan. 4, 1854.

1821—Spain was constrained to surrender Florida to the United States.

1846—United States began the fiscal year with a national debt of \$15,550,202.

1849—French, under General Odinet, entered Rome after desperate fighting.

1863—Gen. Alfred Pleasonton, in command of the cavalry division of Meade's army, took up his position at Gettysburg, in advance of the Confederates.

1871—The La Salle Street tunnel under the Chicago river was opened.

1893—Celebration of Dominion Day at the World's Columbian Exposition.

1895—Dr. R. W. Buchanan, wife-murderer, was electrocuted at Sing Sing prison.

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ORGANIZED ANOTHER TROOP OF THE BOY SCOUTS IN LAREDO

Prof. Dominguez of the Dominguez Institute Has Organized Troop 5 and They Are All Equipped.

A new troop of Boy Scouts, to be known as Troop No. 5, has been organized among the male students of the Dominguez Institute by Prof. Simon G. Dominguez and the first drill of the troop in their new uniforms was held this morning under the direction of Prof. Dominguez. The troop is not as yet as large as it will be—remember, "the mighty oak from a little acorn grew."

On next Monday Prof. Dominguez will take his troop, together with all the other students of his educational institution, comprising about 150 boys and girls, to the Chacon for a big Fourth of July picnic, the students and the teachers to spend the greater part of the Glorious Fourth on the Chacon Creek.

Notice.

To my patrons and the public: I now have a phone at my dairy and can take orders and deliver to any part of the city. Pure Jersey sweet milk, butter and buttermilk. Sweet milk at 15c a quart. Phone 889. IRWIN DAIRY, North Laredo. 6-18-1m.

BANKRUPTCY SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale to me issued and delivered by J. C. Scott, a Referee in Bankruptcy in and for the Southern District of Texas, at the former place of business of Flavio Vargas, bankrupt, in the Vails Building on Hidalgo Street, in Laredo, Texas, I will sell for cash at private sale, free of all liens, on Monday, July 11, 1921, and on each successive day thereafter until all of such property is disposed of, at the highest prices obtainable, all the stock of goods, fixtures and personal property belonging to the estate of Flavio Vargas, bankrupt.

Issued this 21st day of June, 1921. F. M. RAMSAY, Trustee of Flavio Vargas, Bankrupt. 6-24-14t.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Thursday.

Mrs. W. N. Young will entertain with a movie party at 4 o'clock in the afternoon honoring Mrs. J. M. Daniels of St. Louis.

The Revellers will entertain with a dance in the evening at 8:15 o'clock at the Elks Hall. The hostesses will be Mrs. E. J. Foster, chairman; Mrs. Horace Watson, Mrs. Asher R. Smith, and Mrs. Joe Vidales. Members are asked to register for themselves and guests at once.

Staying Power.

A fragile thing you seemed to me in frock of filmy white, When I was introduced to you, And fell in love at sight. And yet you danced till half-past five.

From nine, or was it eight? And mocked at me because I felt Like nothing on a plate.

Your form is of the slenderest, Ethereal your face, And yet you journeyed to the sales And fought to keep your place. You tramped about from shop to shop, And urged in self-defense You bought a dinky evening frock Reduced by eighteen pence.

You look so delicate, my dear, And frail as any flower, And yet it seems to me you have Tremendous staying power, Your feet are tireless is their quest Of gayety and thrill, Your tongue—ah, yes, I fancied so—

I hear you talking still!—Dorothy Rose, in Royal Magazine (London).

General Mention.

Mr. Hal D. Winston has returned from San Antonio after a short absence.

Miss Clifton Hill is in the city from Webb.

Mr. Jimmie Truhart of San Antonio is in the city.

M. P. Strickland, president of the G. A. Stowers Furniture Co., arrived here today from his San Antonio headquarters on a business visit to the Laredo branch of his firm.

Motion Picture Party.

Mrs. W. N. Young entertained yesterday afternoon with a party to see Jack Pickford in "Just Out of College," in honor of Mrs. J. M. Daniels of St. Louis. After a most delightful time at the theater, cooling refreshments were enjoyed. It was a great pleasure for Mrs. Daniels' former Laredo friends to meet her again. Mrs. Young's guests were: Mesdames J. M. Daniels, B. F. Wright, J. P. Leyendecker, W. W. MacGregor, J. C. Seymour, G. C. Hiatt, M. T. Cogley, M. C. Barlow and Lott Taylor, and Misses Inez Hill and Amar Penn.

Guyler-Griffis.

On Friday, June 8th, at Indianapolis, Indiana, Mrs. Grace Hiatt Griffis, of Winchester, Indiana, was married to Mr. William L. Guyler, of Laredo, Rev. Mr. Martin of the Episcopal Church of Indianapolis performing the ceremony. The newly married couple made an extended wedding tour, returning to Laredo yesterday afternoon. They are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. C. Hiatt for a few days, after which they will be at home at 1105 Market street, on the Heights. Mrs. Guyler is a sister of Dr. Hiatt and made many friends during a visit here some time ago. Mr. Guyler is a well-known business man of Laredo, with a host of friends, and both are the recipients of congratulations from all who know them.

DECREASED LIVING COST.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—The decrease in the cost of living between June, 190, and May, 191, was 16.7 per cent, according to figures based on prices in 23 cities made public today by the department of labor. Except fuel, light and housing, all prices have dropped.

THE STATE RESTED.

By Associated Press. Columbus, Kan., June 30.—The state rested in the Howat-Dorsey case today after three witnesses were examined. The defense offered a demurrer to the evidence and stated that the same arguments advanced in the motion to quash the indictment were offered. The demurrer was overruled.

STROMBOLI ERUPTING.

By Associated Press. Messina, June 30.—Eruption of Stromboli volcano, accompanied by tremors felt for 20 miles, is shaking the adjacent islands. Flames and black clouds of smoke today were plainly seen from Messina. The shores of the island are lined with people praying for the abatement of the fury of the volcano.

FORT McINTOSH NOTES.

Two boxing bouts were staged last evening prior to the weekly band concert. The first bout was an exhibition between Battling Francouer, 111 lbs., and Baby Ballon, 118. Both gave a very good show and pleased the crowd. The second bout between Swede Hanson and Tony Mario, both men weighing 122 lbs., went the three rounds to a draw and both men agreed to go another round; this, according to the referee's decision, was a draw. The fight was a hard fought affair from the first going to the last and was thoroughly enjoyed.

The band concert was excellent. In addition to the regular program Bandleader Webel gave the large audience a number of request pieces, among them La Northea and Plentiful. The attendance at the concerts at the Fort is increasing each week.

Captain L. H. Kice, M. C., who has been attached to the Airdrome at Laredo and later has been on duty at the Post Hospital, left today for Ellington Field. The officers and men of the Post wish Captain Kice every success at his new station. Mrs. Kice and Janet will leave the later part of the week to join Captain Kice.

The Post rifle and pistol team will leave today for San Antonio for the Corps tryouts. The rifle team is in charge of Captain Harold Head and Lieut. P. W. Seymour will handle the pistol team.

Captain H. H. Galliett has been appointed officer in charge of recruiting for Civilian Training Camps in this Corps. Captain Galliett will be glad to give any information that may be desired regarding these Camps and he expects to establish an office in the city within a few days for this purpose.

MEXICAN NOTES.

From a recent bulletin issued by the Mexican government it is learned that the Petroleum Commission of the Chamber of Deputies is now working out a solution of the vexing problems relating to Article 27 of the constitution of 1917, against which there have been so many complaints. Due to the initiative of Gen. Obregon, an attempt will be made to remove from this article, as well as from Article 14, all retroactive or confiscatory effect.

Mexico is about to establish her first life-saving station at Veracruz, with full and modern equipment, including lifeboats, guns for firing life lines, pulmotors and all the appliances that are to be found in the life-saving stations of other nations.

The first highway congress to be held in Mexico will open there in September during the centenary of Mexico's independence. It will include state and municipal delegates from all over the Republic and is a sign of the interest that is taken in modern development of good roads.

TO TERMINATE WARA.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—The house today adopted the conference report on the resolution terminating the state of war with Germany and Austria-Hungary. The vote was 263 to 59. The proposal was a compromise between the Knox and Porter resolutions. It must be approved by the senate before it can be sent to the president.

TO BUILD HOSPITAL.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 30.—The construction of a hospital at Leavenworth, Kansas, with accommodations for 200 patients, former service men suffering from tuberculosis, has been authorized by Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, it was announced today. Four similar projects were authorized at other points in the United States, the secretary said, at Milwaukee, Dayton, Ohio, Hot Springs, South Dakota, and Marion, Indiana.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day: Tonight and Friday partly cloudy.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today: Max. temp. 99 degs. Min. temp. 71 degs. General direction of wind: Southeast. Partly cloudy.

Under the "Endowment of Motherhood" law which has just come into effect in France, every third child that makes its appearance in a French family will be greeted with a bonus of 400 francs, and an increasing sum will be forthcoming for each of his successors, culminating in a handsome reward of 750 francs to the mother who bears a tenth child.

MUSCLES FELT AS IF TIED IN KNOTS

HUDSON SAYS "IT IS SIMPLY WONDERFUL WHAT TANLAC DID FOR ME."

"If anybody had told me that Tanlac could do for me what it has done I would not have believed them," said C. R. Hudson, of Knoxville, Ill. "It freed me from rheumatism after twelve years of awful suffering," he continued, "and my stomach trouble is also gone."

"I was in such bad shape that I could scarcely digest a thing, and any solids would give me such cramps in my stomach that I could hardly stand them. Gas would form and affect my heart so bad I would get faint and have to lie down. The rheumatism made my legs swell all out of shape and the muscles felt like they were tied in knots. I couldn't straighten my right leg at all and it pained me so I could find no rest. At night it was especially bad and I simply rolled from one side of the bed to the other unable to get any sleep. Not being able to work any more I rented my farm and moved to town. I tried about every sort of medicine I ever heard of but got worse all the time."

"One day I heard some people talking about how much good Tanlac had done them and I decided to try it, and the way it took hold was simply wonderful. I can now eat anything I want, my rheumatism is all gone and I sleep like a log every night. I feel as strong and well as I ever did and I am going back to the farm able to do as much work as I did years ago. If anyone wants to know about Tanlac send them to me."

Tanlac is sold in Laredo, by City Drug Store, and all leading druggists.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.

JUNE 30. French Senate ratified the peace treaty with Austria.

Nominating speeches were made at the Democratic National Convention.

A DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY.

JUNE 30.

1817—Sir Joseph Hooker, famous English surgeon and naturalist, born. Died Dec. 11, 1911.

1846—Stephen W. Kearney was commissioned a brigadier-general of the United States army.

1876—Montenegro and Serbia declared war against Turkey.

1891—U. S. Weather Bureau transferred from the War Department to the Department of Agriculture.

1896—The sixth national reunion of United Confederate Veterans opened at Richmond.

1898—Arrival of the first United States troops at Manila.

1906—Congress passed the Meat Inspection Act, providing for Federal supervision of the packing plants.

1918—Eugene V. Debs, four times Socialist candidate for President, was arrested in Cleveland for alleged violation of the Espionage Act.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS

JUNE 30.

Charles G. Dawes, who has been selected for Director of the Budget under the budget law recently enacted by Congress, is a high-grade American business man of proved executive ability. During the late war he gained an enviable reputation as chief purchasing agent for the American Expeditionary Force. Col. Dawes is a native of Marietta, O., and has done much for it and for the college there, from which he was graduated. He has made a record not only as a lawyer and as a financier, but also as a political leader, being very close to Mr. McKinley, both prior to and after the election of the latter as President. Following the Republican success of 1896 he was called to Washington by President McKinley to act as Comptroller of the Currency. He is a thinker on problems of state and of finance, and some of his thoughts have found permanent form in books and formal addresses.

FIGHT ON RUN?

Patrons of a Boston restaurant noticed tucked on the wall a sheet of paper on which was printed in bold characters:

"The umbrella in the stand below belongs to the champion heavyweight fighter of the world. He is coming right back."

Five minutes later umbrella and paper had disappeared. In their place was another notice:

"Umbrella is now in possession of the champion Marathon runner of the world. He is not coming back."

End of the fiscal year of the United States.

A statue of Washington, a gift from the State of Virginia to the English people, is to be unveiled today in Trafalgar Square, London.

Under the auspices of the League of Nations an international conference is to meet at Geneva today to consider methods for the repression of "white slavery."

By order of the Federal court the Tennessee Central Railroad properties, now in the hands of receivers, are to be offered at public sale at Nashville today.

Jacksonville, Fla., is to begin a three-day celebration today in honor of the completion and opening of the magnificent new bridge across the St. Johns River.

Hundreds of sportsmen from all parts of America, and some from Europe, have been invited to attend a "clean sportsmanship" dinner to be given in New York tonight in honor of Tex Rickard, chief promoter of the coming bout for the world's pugilistic championship.

In connection with the twelfth annual conference of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People in session at Detroit, the award of the Spingarn medal for 1921 will be made today to Charles Gilpin, noted negro actor.

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Webb County, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your County) at least once a week for two consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

The State of Texas.

To all persons interested in the welfare and the estate of Lila Benavides, Ignacio Benavides, Victor Benavides, Edna Benavides, Ofelia Benavides, and Guadalupe Benavides, minors: Mrs. Guadalupe R. de Benavides, has filed an application in the County Court of Webb County on the 22nd day of June, 1921, for Letters of Guardianship on the persons and estates of said minors, which said application will be heard by said Court on the 18th day of July, 1921, at the Court House of said County, in Laredo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Laredo, Texas, this 22nd day of June, 1921.

J. A. RODRIGUEZ, Clerk Co. Court, Webb Co., Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Zapata County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Antonio de la Garza by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Zapata County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Zapata, on the fourth Monday after the first Monday in September, 1921, the same being the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1921, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 2nd day of February, A. D. 1921, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 126, wherein Cristina Evers de la Garza is plaintiff and Antonio de la Garza is defendant, the nature of the plaintiff's demand is as follows, to-wit:

That plaintiff now resides in Zapata County, Texas; that in Zapata County, Texas, on or about the 27th day of July, 1917, plaintiff and defendant were lawfully married; that plaintiff and defendant lived together more or less continuously from the date of said marriage until on or about January 1, 1918, when defendant abandoned plaintiff, since which last named date they have not lived together as husband and wife; that during all of said period of cohabitation, this plaintiff was kind, loving and affectionate to the defendant; that during their marriage defendant was often harsh and cruel toward plaintiff and did mistreat her; that said marriage relations still exist.

Herein fail not, but have before said court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: Leopoldo Martinez, Clerk of the District Court, Zapata County. Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Zapata, Texas, this 21st day of June, A. D. 1921.

LEOPOLDO MARTINEZ, Clerk, District Court, Zapata County.

THREATENED GOVERNOR IN FINAL EFFORT TO STOP THE DEMPSEY-CARPENTIER FIGHT

Dempsey Wants a Knock-Out to Settle the Championship and Opposes Any Fight that is Not to a Finish--Carpentier is the Choice of Trainer and Others, While Sports Favor Dempsey.

PLOT TO MURDER MEN OF CABINET

BRITISH OFFICIALS CLOSELY GUARDED TO PREVENT THE CARRYING OUT OF IRISH PLOT.

By Associated Press.

London, June 30.—Special precautions are being taken to protect all British cabinet ministers in consequence of the discovery of a plot to murder them, according to the Sketch. The paper says the police are seeking three men sent to London by certain organizations abroad for the purpose of assassinating the ministers. One man is described as a French medical student, a member of a Paris secret society; another an Irishman from the Western United States, and the third a Spaniard of Irish extraction.

DISCUSS TARIFF PLANS TONIGHT

HARDING DETERMINED NO LEGISLATION SHALL DELAY THE WORK ON TARIFF MEASURE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, June 30.—Congress today had the first opportunity to examine the administration's permanent tariff bill, six months in the making. House Republicans will caucus tonight on the bill with a view to determine whether it should be put through as drafted. The bill contains nearly 100,000 words. Some leaders say it is impossible to thrash out all the differences in one session. The measure must be considered by the full ways and means committee before it can be formally reported to the house.

The Same Old Tariff.

Washington, June 30.—The average rate of duty in the administration's permanent tariff bill introduced in the house yesterday will be 18 to 20 per cent, according to unofficial estimates, as compared with 18.55 per cent in the Payne-Aldrich bill, Chairman Fordney of the ways and means committee declared today. The Underwood bill average rate, he added, was 6 per cent and that of the Dingley bill 6½ per cent.

Harding's Firm Stand.

Washington, June 30.—President Harding today was understood to have taken a firm stand during a conference of house leaders that no legislation be attempted that would delay the enactment of the tariff and revenue bills.

TO STRIKE TOMORROW.

By Associated Press. Chicago, June 30.—Employees of the Chicago grain elevators refused today to accept the owners' offer to arbitrate, and a strike will be called tomorrow, it was announced today.

CANCEL CONTRACTS.

By Associated Press. Mexico City, June 30.—Government contracts with several American firms engaged in the transportation of merchandise from the border to Mexico City on private trains has been cancelled as part of the plan to systematize the railroads.

ODD AND INTERESTING.

Scientists place the dog first for intelligence among animals. Almost a third of the entire coast of the United States borders on the Gulf of Mexico. A first folio Shakespeare, dated 1623, has just been sold in London for the sum of \$13,250. Some natives of the Sahara Desert have expressed amazement when they heard that water falls from the skies. Among the furniture to be seen in Windsor Castle is the writing-desk given by Henry VIII to Anne Boleyn on their wedding day. To cover the distance from the earth to the sun an express train going at a speed of 50 miles an hour and running day and night would require 175 years to complete the journey.

By Associated Press.

Up to the Governor. Trenton, N. J., June 30.—In a last effort to stop the Dempsey-Carpentier bout, Dr. Wilbur F. Crafts, superintendent of the International Reform Bureau, today wrote Governor Edwards demanding that he prevent the bout. In a voluminous letter Crafts declared the governor would find himself in an awkward position if he attended the fight and it turned out to be a crime.

Won't Stop the Bout.

Jersey City, June 30.—Prosecutor Pierre Garvan today told a representative of the Associated Press that unless more facts are presented him by the International Reform Bureau he will not recommend to the grand jury tomorrow that the championship bout be stopped.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 30.—Dempsey wants his contest with Carpentier to end decisively with either himself or Carpentier stretched on the floor before 12 rounds, if possible. The champion so declared today when he said he did not want the towel thrown in as an acknowledgement of defeat. He said the championship contest should be allowed to go to a knock-out without regard to the battered or helpless condition of either contestant. Dempsey also opposed having the contest stopped by the referee. He said: "The best way to stop the fight and suit everybody is to knock the other man stiff."

Believe in Carpentier.

Manhasset, N. Y., June 30.—Manhasset Descamps said today: "Ah! My Georges never fooled me yet. After Saturday I will be the manager of the world's heavyweight champion." Trainer Gus Wilson said: "Georges, as a light heavyweight, came in contact with some of the world's cleverest and hardest-hitting ringmen. He knows too much for Dempsey." Joe Jeanette said: "Carpentier is too smart a fighter to lose the bout. He will be away when Dempsey hits. The champion will not be able to see his right hand, it will be so fast."

Use Eight-Ounce Gloves.

New York, June 30.—Eight-ounce gloves will be the weapons used in the bout Saturday, Promoter Rickard said today. He said the eight-ounce mitts were more favorable to the New Jersey boxing commission than the six-ounce variety. The managers of both fighters have inspected the gloves and pronounced them satisfactory.

Dempsey Ruled Favorite.

New York, June 30.—Dempsey ruled favorite among 165 of 225 sportsmen interviewed regarding the probable outcome of the match Saturday.

TAKING TESTIMONY.

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, June 30.—The jury in the case of Charles Gaines, alias George Wheeler, alleged postoffice bandit, was completed last night and the taking of testimony was started today. The prosecution announced they would introduce witnesses from Houston, New Orleans, Memphis, Nashville, Princeton, Ky., and Indianapolis. W. S. Scrivner, who was the first witness, immediately launched into a repetition of the testimony he gave on previous trials of alleged members of the robber band. In his testimony he named Rowan as the ringleader and gave the names of six other men, on known to him, he testified, as George Wheeler.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY.

JUNE 30. Count Julius Andrássy, celebrated Hungarian statesman and patriot, born 61 years ago today. Rear Admiral William B. Caperton, U. S. N., retired, born in Maury County, Tenn., 66 years ago today. Halvor Steenorsen, representative in Congress of the Ninth Minnesota district, born in Dane County, Wis., 69 years ago today. Viscount Esher, for many years a prominent figure in English public life, born in London, 69 years ago today.

TOLD CONGRESS WHAT IS NEEDED

HARDING SPOKE OF VIOLATION OF OBLIGATIONS TO SOLDIERS BY REDUCING THE ARMY.

By Associated Press.

Washington, June 30.—The president today signed the annual army appropriation bill directing the reducing of the regular army to 150,000 by October 1, but advised congress that he believed further legislation would be required to relieve the government of embarrassment in the violation of obligations to enlisted men whose discharge the reduction would necessitate.

CEMENT MAKERS BEING PROBED

CIVIL SUIT WILL NOT INTERFERE WITH PROCEEDINGS IN THE CRIMINAL CASE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, June 30.—Attorney General Daugherty announced today that civil charges of violation of the anti-trust law would be instituted today in the federal court in New York against the Cement Manufacturers' Protective Association, its officers and members. He said members of the association produced approximately 50 per cent of the total Portland cement used in the northeastern section of the United States.

Mr. Daugherty said the proceedings would supplement the criminal actions instituted in March and would not in any way stop the prosecution of the pending criminal case. He said the court might order effective the dissolution of the combination and enjoin its members from reconstituting their association, "thereby affording the public substantial and practical relief," with regard to the results of the criminal case.

RELEASED FROM PRISON.

By Associated Press. Dublin, June 30.—Arthur Griffith, the founder of the Sinn Fein organization, and Professor John MacNeill, president of the Gaelic League, were released from Mountjoy prison here today.

WON'T BE RENEWED.

By Associated Press. London, June 30.—It seems unlikely today that the Anglo-Japanese treaty will be renewed in the present form. Discussion is not completed on the question. British cabinet members so far have not participated in the discussion of the treaty. If renewed at all, the military clause will be stricken out, according to present indications.

Relate to America.

London, June 30.—The Pall Mall Gazette and Globe says the British cabinet today decided on renewal of the Anglo-Japanese treaty, but that discussion is proceeding on certain modifications suggested. These have a special relation to the American attitude toward the treaty and the position of India, the newspaper adds.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

All educational and professional institutions in Italy are now open to women. An agitation has been begun for the appointment of women to the Senate of Canada. Mrs. Ella Jacobson is the new mayor of Waterloo, Neb., having defeated her husband for the office. Mrs. E. H. Harriman, widow of the railroad magnate, is believed to be the richest woman in America. The Madras Presidency, one of the greatest of the States of India, has granted full suffrage rights to women. Madame Curie has received a total of 64 honorary degrees, including nine from American colleges and universities.

From Wednesday's Daily.

A FOOLISH MOVE.

The announcement that the International Reform Bureau, accompanied by several clergymen of Jersey City, were trying to enjoin the promoter, Tex Rickard, from staging the world's heavyweight championship bout will not interest many people, even slightly.

This eleventh hour movement is so suggestive of the sort of "reform" which has brought real reformers into disrepute that it is not worthy of serious notice.

During the months that have passed there was plenty of time for the "reformers" to take such action as would have received the attention of the courts, not only of Jersey City and the state, but even the supreme court of the United States, had the case warranted such consideration.

But these people—who, it is strongly suspected, are trying for the position in the spotlight which people of this sort always aim at—were apparently not even mildly interested in the matter until it was so thoroughly advertised and financed that any interference with its successful conclusion would cost a great deal of money—and much exasperation on the part of even those who are not the possessors of ringside seats and who must depend upon the newspapers for their reports of the championship bout.

Prize-fighting is disgusting and vulgar—to those who do not care for it. It is no doubt true that this coming bout will be the cause of much gambling, and that pool rooms will handle a great deal of money staked on the result of the fight. Probably the fight will attract a great many "low brows" from all over the country and even from abroad, who are more interested in the outcome of this battle than in that of the Marne or of Chateau Thierry.

But there is one consolation. Those who do not care a snap about the fight will not have to pay to see it. Those who are interested in them and Masterlock and Einstein do not have to read the columns of description that will be printed next Saturday evening and Sunday. Those who don't want to bet on the result can keep their money in their pockets with their respective hands on their various pocketbooks.

There is no compulsion as to attendance at the bout. No one is forced to buy tickets to the arena. No one is actually compelled to buy the sporting editions telling of the blows exchanged and the "dull thuds" as the respective fighters hit the padded floor of the ring.

We frequently have bullfights here on the border. We say "we" advisedly, for if it were not for those from the American side of the river, including the tourists who are "seeing Mexico," it would hardly pay to stage the fight. But those who do not want to go are not forced to cross the river and pay admission.

The promoter of the coming bout has spent money like water to prepare an arena that will hold sufficient people to make it pay. He did not need to spend much money for advertising, for he was "advertised by his loving friends" all over the country, the public demanding all the "news" of the fight that could be furnished, including the exact shade of Carpenter's lavender socks and the pounds of raw beef the champion devoured to "condition" himself.

People from every state in the union, probably including members of the congregations of the Jersey City pastors, have paid in advance for tickets to the fight. Some have crossed the ocean and the other day a man from Tampico passed through Laredo for New York, simply to see two pugs bruise and batter each other.

If by any chance the "reform" bureau could stop the fight, they would precipitate another which by comparison would be as Niagara to a drizzle from a leaky roof. For people have rioted over more trivial matters than stopping a combat between Spartacus and Barbastes. "Pan et circenses" was the cry of the mob as far back as Nero's time.

A GOOD RECORD.

According to a letter from the chief of infantry of the United States army, which appears elsewhere in this issue, the Seventeenth Infantry holds the record for this year of the lowest number of desertions, having no desertions at all during the month of April.

There are several factors which enter into this enviable record, and Laredo people are proud to think that one of them is the satisfaction the men feel with their station among us. Life on the border is very different from that at most of the other army posts, the majority of which (in continental United States) are near large cities where the amusements and distractions are naturally greater than any we can offer.

Another reason for the low number of desertions is naturally the satisfaction of the men with their company commanders and the other officers of the post. Those who are unfamiliar with the service do not stop to consider what a difference there is between the service in some regiments because of the different characteristics of the various officers.

The climate has much to do with the pleasure the men derive from their service in Laredo. There is little rain, practically no cold weather,

er, and the duties of the enlisted men always take into consideration the extremes of heat, so that the only thing the men have to do here is to soldier, something that is often interfered with in other sections by disagreeable spells of rainy weather, of bitter cold and of annoying and uncomfortable variations in temperatures.

One reason why the service is popular here is because on the border there is an opportunity to compare the United States service with that of a neighboring country; to compare the advantages of American citizenship with the disadvantages that accrue to the nationals of other countries.

The people of Laredo have always done what they could to make the life of the soldiers among us as pleasant as possible. The churches, the various fraternal organizations, society in general, have all vied in entertaining the soldiers, and not alone since the wave of patriotism swept over the country in 1916-17.

The men of the United States army have reason to feel pride in their country, their flag and their military service, and nowhere is this better illustrated than in Laredo. They keep up their personal neatness, they are welcome guests at all public entertainments because of their generally "smart" appearance, and they uphold the traditions of the regular army in such a manner that the citizens feel a pride in them because they are part of "the Laredo garrison."

Occasionally some man gets into the army who would be better out of it. And the officers usually find out very soon that the army would be the better for his absence. But as a rule the American soldier is a credit to his nation, to his people and to the organization to which he belongs.

There have been few disorders here on the part of the American soldiers. They learn to demand the proper respect that is due their uniform, and they deport themselves in such a manner as to deserve this respect. Only an occasional recruit makes the mistake of misbehaving himself under the impression that the uniform, like charity, "covers a multitude of sins."

It is an important duty that the men of the Seventeenth Infantry have here on the border. There is no reason to fear that their services will be required to repel invasion. The characteristics of the citizens do not demand their services to put down internal disorders. But they are here for one purpose that should never be forgotten.

Our nation here has an opportunity of "putting its best foot foremost." The soldiers of the Laredo post have an opportunity to demonstrate the superiority of our army to any other. They are daily showing that the American soldier is not only brave and resourceful; but that he is courteous, friendly, ever ready to protect the defenseless and to uphold the high standard of the American army—the finest and the best army that ever wore a uniform.

FORT MCINTOSH NOTES.

The following program has been arranged by Bandleader Webel for the concert this evening: March, "The 17th Infantry"....Webel Overture, "Mignonnette"....Housmann Grand Selection, "Traviata" (by request)....Verdi Fox Trot, "All By Myself"....Berlin Selection, "The Fortune Teller"....Herbert Waltz, "Moonlight on the Hudson"....Hermann Characteristic, "Gipsy Life"....Kelling Fox Trot, "I Wonder Where My Sweet Daddy's Gone"....Hammed

The concert will start promptly at 7 o'clock.

The Post Baseball team is working hard for their coming game at Corpus Christi. The team will leave here Saturday noon and will return on Tuesday morning. A number of officers and men from the Post will accompany the team.

The new golf course is gradually being put in excellent condition. Every afternoon a number of officers can be seen going over the course and as the grounds are being worked it is hoped to have an excellent nine-hole course.

Orders have been received transferring Captain D. Lee Hooper, 17th Inf., to the Chemical Warfare Service. Captain and Mrs. Hooper will leave soon for their new station, Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland. Captain Cooper has been with the 17th Infantry ever since his entrance into the service and it is with regret that the officers of the regiment see him go.

Recommends Chamberlain's Tablets. "Chamberlain's Tablets have been used by my husband and myself off and on for the past five years. When my husband goes away from home he always takes a bottle of them along with him. Whenever I have that heavy feeling after eating, or feel dull and played out, I take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets and they fix me up fine," writes Mrs. Newton Vreeland, Minoa, N. Y. Take these tablets when troubled with constipation or indigestion and they will do you good.

Watch THE TIMES everyday for opportunities. 50c. per month.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

The Episcopal silver jubilee of Archbishop Glennon of St. Louis is to be celebrated with an impressive service in the Roman Catholic cathedral in that city today.

Americanization is to be one of the principal topics at the business sessions of the 32nd national tournament of the American Gymnastic Union, opening in Chicago today.

The ceremony of the consecration of the Roman Catholic diocese of Pittsburgh is to take place today in St. Paul's Cathedral in that city.

The John Fritz Gold Medal, the highest honor conferred by American engineers, is to be presented to Sir Robert Hadfield, the eminent Sheffield scientist and ironmaster to whom the world is indebted for the development of manganese steel, at the opening of the annual meeting in London today of the British Institution of Civil Engineers.

AUTO RACES.

By Associated Press.

Tacoma, Wash., June 29.—Twelve automobile race drivers, most of them already famous for their work on the nation's big tracks, compete in the tenth annual Tacoma Speedway race July 4 for points toward the national championship and a winner's prize of about \$20,000, it was announced here recently.

Approximately 50,000 spectators are expected to attend the race. The course covers 125 laps of the Tacoma Speedway, which is just two miles in length.

Heading the list of drivers entered is Tommy Milton, winner of the 500-mile Memorial Day race at Indianapolis this year, another entry will be Roscoe Scales, who took second money at Indianapolis when he finished only a few seconds behind Milton.

A driver new to the Tacoma course will appear July 4 will be Jules Ellingboe, noted dirt track racer, whose driving was one of the features of the Indianapolis race. The speedway also will have its first foreign-made entry, a car to be driven by Howard Wilcox.

Among the other drivers entered are several veterans, Eddie Pullen, Ralph Mulford, Joe Thomas, Ira Vail and Eddie Hearn. Others on the list are Eddie Miller, one of the youngest racing drivers in the country, Alton Seales and Jerry Wonderlich.

The Tacoma Speedway Association has put up a purse of \$25,000 for the race. In addition, national accessory and tire concerns have offered about \$20,000. The winners will receive \$10,000 from the speedway association and 500 points toward the 1921 championship. Side money will boost the winner's money to about \$20,000. Second money will be \$5,000 from the association purse.

BUYING OXEN.

By Associated Press.

Kansas City, June 29.—While thousands of tractors are reported to be on their way west, shipped to farmers from eastern manufacturers, there is a representative of Connecticut farmers in Kansas City buying oxen to work on Connecticut farms.

This man is C. F. Colcoid, an Illinois farmer, who also operates in Connecticut, and represents farmers there.

Mr. Colcoid attends the sales at the stock yards, keeping on the look-out for old steers which would not be very good as beef cattle but which are usable as work cattle. These he buys and sends back to Connecticut where they are auctioned off to farmers. Owing to the condition of the hilly country he states that they are the most practical motive power for pulling plows and farm machines.

"You know Connecticut farmers are a little old-fashioned. It is a common practice among these Yankee farmers in the Old New England states to cut grain by hand and to plow with a team of oxen. All these cattle which I send back are auctioned off by the head, some farmers coming as far as fifty miles to attend the sales."

NOTICE.

To Everybody Who Goes Across the River:

After July 1st there will be cars unning every few minutes from Jarvis Plaza down Convent Avenue to the foot-bridge and return. Fare 5 cents. Take Footbridge Flier Car. Thanks.

Yours for service,
JITNEY, Ltd.
6-22-21.

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:
Tonight and Thursday cloudy with showers.

Local Weather Report.
The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today:
Max. temp. 96 degs.
Min. temp. 76 degs.
General direction of wind: South-east.
Partly cloudy.

AN OLD-FASHIONED SWATFEST WAS INDULGED IN YESTERDAY

Laredos Cleaned Up With Legion; Captain Kice of Airdrome Team Presented With a Loving Cup.

Standing of the Laredo League:
Team. Played Won Lost Per.
17th Infantry17 10 7 .588
Laredos18 10 8 .556
Airdrome17 8 9 .471
American Legion18 7 11 .389

Yesterday afternoon's play-off game between the Laredos and the American Legion teams at the Caliche Park was a good old-fashioned hit fest, featured by numerous runs, hits and errors. Bolton of the Legion was batted hard, Garcia and Ortiz connecting safely four times, two of Garcia's hits being two-baggers over the left field. Good plays and bonehead plays, slugging stunts and ruthless errors, all tended to keep the small crowd in a joyous humor throughout the travesty. The game by innings was as follows:

Teams. 123 456 789—R. H. E.
Laredos203 043 012—15 15 7
Amer. Legion 200 111 000—5 10 11

Batteries: Rodriguez and Garcia; Bolton and Cochran.

At the conclusion of the game Howard Moore, acting president of the Laredo Baseball League, on behalf of the organization and players, presented a silver loving cup to Captain Kice, the genial and popular manager of the Airdrome team, as an appreciation of his work in organizing the league and his untiring efforts towards making it a success. Captain Kice leaves tomorrow for Kelly Field, much to the regret of everyone in Laredo, for he has become a general favorite during his two years' stay at the aviation field. The good wishes of the baseball fans and players follow him to his new station.

Announcement.
The Latin-American Club will give a grand ball Monday evening, July 4th, beginning at 9 o'clock sharp, in commemoration of the anniversary of American Independence. The roof garden will be opened on this occasion for the serving of refreshments.
The Committee.
6-29-21.

FORT MCINTOSH RIFLE AND PISTOL TEAM WILL DEPART

Go to Camp Bullis to Enter Corps Competition; Capt. Gray and Sgt. Major Barron to Fort Niagara.

The rifle and pistol team of the 17th Infantry regiment, in command of Captain Head and composed of about fifteen officers and men, leave here tomorrow for Camp Bullis, where they go to enter into competition with the other regimental teams of the corps area. The team is a very efficient one in marksmanship and expect to bring back the honors for the 17th Infantry regiment.

Captain Gray and Sergeant Major Barron of the 17th Infantry regiment have been ordered to report at Fort Niagara, N. Y., to try out for the United States Army Rifle Team. They will leave here on July 1.

Notice to the Public.
We wish to state that, due to the lack of good operatives, we have been obliged to suspend temporarily our publication of "Evolution," and that we are making every effort to resume it under different conditions. We desire to add that it is untrue that we are going to publish a newspaper in opposition to the present government of Mexico, as some have maliciously stated, or that we have sold out to a prominent political refugee. Our past does not warrant the first supposition nor have we made any arrangements with regard to the latter, and so far as we are concerned we have been and will continue to be respectful and in favor of the present government of Mexico. We make this explanation for the information of the sensible people of Laredo, despising such malicious stories.

IDAR PUBLISHING CO.,
Eduardo Idar, Mgr.
6-29-21.

Notice of Removal.

I have removed my office quarters from the Valls building to the Wilcox building, upstairs, with entrance near telegraph office. I have installed a new powerful X-ray outfit and am able to care for all X-ray work.

E. H. SAUVIGNET, M. D.
6-15-1m.

RE-ELECTED OLD OFFICERS TO SERVE FOR ENSUING YEAR

Directors of the Texas-Mexican Ry. Co. Held Annual Meeting in Company's Offices This Morning.

The board of directors of the Texas-Mexican Ry. Co. held a meeting at the office of the company in this city this morning and re-elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing year:
Miles T. Cogley, president; S. W. DeWolf, vice-president and general manager; M. M. Leyendecker, general superintendent; R. L. Woodul, auditor; C. M. Fish, traffic manager; A. B. Muller, secretary and treasurer. There was no meeting of the stockholders held.

SERVICE ON THE BORDER IS SATISFACTORY TO SOLDIERS

COMMENDATORY LETTER RECEIVED BY COL. COCHRAN.

Seventeenth Infantry Holds the Army Record for the Lowest Number of Desertions During This Year.

The Commanding Officer, 17th Infantry, has received a letter of commendation from the Chief of Infantry, Major General C. S. Farnsworth, on the excellent record the regiment has made regarding the low number of desertions. The regiment holds the record for lowest number of desertions since January, 1921, and during the month of April there was not a desertion. This fact indicates that the men of the regiment are contented with their service on the border and especially with the duty at Fort McIntosh and Laredo. The letter is as follows:

War Department, Office of the Chief of Infantry, Washington, June 22, 1921.

From The Chief of Infantry,
To The Commanding Officer, 17th Infantry, Fort McIntosh, Texas.
Subject: Commendation.

1. In studying the conditions affecting the morale of the infantry, it gives me much pleasure to note the absence of desertions in your command during the month of April. Such a condition is indicative of a contented personnel and contentment is a primary factor in measuring the ultimate success of an organization. It shows an intimate knowledge by yourself and your officers of the varied influences affecting the daily life of the soldier, and a spirit of loyal co-operation on the part of your non-commissioned officers. This achievement is even more creditable in view of only four desertions in your regiment since January 1, 1921, which is the lowest rate in the infantry, exclusive of regiments on foreign service.

2. I desire to commend your officers and non-commissioned officers for your zeal and care in the treatment of the soldiers of your command, and for the excellent results achieved by you in reducing the desertion rate of your regiment. I will continue to observe the excellent work you are doing, and wish you continued success in your efforts for a contented personnel and a high state of morale in your regiment.

C. S. FARNSWORTH,
Chief of Infantry.

Will Be Speaker of the Day.
Hon. Guillermo S. Seguin, the new Mexican consul general at Laredo, will be the speaker of the day at the Kiwanis weekly meeting at the Hamilton Cafe tomorrow. The Times is requested to urge all Kiwanians to be present at this meeting, hear Mr. Seguin, who speaks very fluently in English, and to meet the new Mexican consul general at Laredo.

AVIATION CAMP ABANDONED AND FORCE LEAVE TOMORROW

Squadron of 8th Aero Corps Stationed Here Past Three Years Will Go to Kelly Field.

In accordance with recent orders issued abolishing the various aviation camps along the border and concentrating all men and planes at Kelly Field, the aviation camp of the squadron of the 8th Aero Corps maintained in Laredo on the Heights for the past three years will be abolished tomorrow.

On tomorrow night Lieut. Glasscock, commander of the aviation camp, and the twenty men under him, leave for Kelly Field on the night train, while the planes will be shipped tomorrow. Captain L. H. Kice, who is also with the camp here, will go from Laredo to Ellington Field for station. Laredo regrets to lose the aviation camp and the officers and men connected with it, but hope some day to have them back here again for station.

Promoted to Freight Claim Agent.

A copy of an official circular issued by J. H. Fraser, vice-president and general manager of the Wichita Falls, Ranger & Fort Worth Ry. Co., dated at Ranger, Texas, June 1, have been received here announcing: "Mr. George A. Fulton is appointed freight claim agent of the above lines, with headquarters at Ranger, Texas, and will handle all matters pertaining to loss and damage freight claims." George Fulton has many friends in Laredo, where he was raised and where he started in as an office boy with the I. & G. N. Ry. Co. and his numerous friends wish him continued success in the railroad world.

DELIVERED THE PRISONERS TO CINCINNATI AND ATLANTA

Deputy U. S. Marshal Allen Walker and Sam McKenzie Took Four Men From Here on June 22d.

Sam McKenzie, who accompanied Deputy U. S. Marshal Allen Walker to Atlanta, Ga., and Cincinnati, Ohio, with prisoners, leaving here on June 22, returned to Laredo this morning, but Captain Walker stopped en route and will not return here for several days yet.

The marshal's office had charge of the delivery of J. W. Foerdmeyer, wanted on charges of having failed to register for military service, etc., and who recently returned from Mexico and was captured here, to Cincinnati, and at Houston three more prisoners were turned over to the officers for delivery to the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga.

AN ORDINANCE.

Granting to E. J. Dryden a franchise to conduct and operate upon and over certain streets and avenues of the City of Laredo a passenger carrying automobile transportation business; fixing the amount of franchise tax to be collected by and paid to the City of Laredo for such privilege; providing for the operation of automobiles operated in such business; fixing the amount of fare per person to be charged in the operation of such business; declaring it a misdemeanor for any other person or persons to operate, or attempt to operate, along or over any of such streets and avenues a regular schedule of automobile transportation business, charging for transportation an amount equal to or less than that charged by said E. J. Dryden, without having first made application to the city council of the City of Laredo for permission so to do, and without having paid the franchise tax assessed by the city first had said application granted, and having paid the franchise tax required by the city council of the City of Laredo, and fixing a penalty for the violation of such provision; and providing for the giving of bonds to indemnify against negligent operation of any automobile operated in such business; and providing for an emergency.

Be It Ordained by the City Council of the City of Laredo:

SECTION 1. That there is hereby granted to E. J. Dryden a franchise to conduct, operate and maintain a passenger carrying automobile transportation business within the corporate limits of the City of Laredo, and upon, along and over the following named streets and avenues in the City of Laredo, to-wit:

Beginning at the corner of Matamoros street and Salinas avenue; thence south along Salinas avenue to Farragut street; thence east along Farragut street to Convent avenue; thence south along Convent avenue to the foot of the International Footbridge, at the bank of the Rio Grande river, on said Convent avenue.

Section 2. That there is hereby granted to E. J. Dryden a franchise to conduct, operate and maintain a passenger carrying automobile transportation business within the corporate limits of the City of Laredo, and upon, along and over the following named streets and avenues in the City of Laredo, to-wit:

Beginning at the corner of Matamoros street and Salinas avenue; thence south along Salinas avenue to Hidalgo street; thence east along Hidalgo street to San Bernardo avenue; thence north along San Bernardo avenue to Calahan street; thence east along Calahan street to San Francisco avenue; thence north along San Francisco avenue to Poggenpohl street; thence west along Poggenpohl street to San Bernardo avenue; thence south along San Bernardo avenue to Park street; thence west along Park street to Santa Maria avenue; thence south along Santa Maria avenue to Matamoros street; thence east along Matamoros street to the corner of Matamoros street and Salinas avenue, the place of beginning.

Section 3. That said passenger carrying automobile transportation business shall be conducted for the purpose of carrying of passengers only, and it shall be, and is hereby made, obligatory for said E. J. Dryden, while operating such automobile transportation business, either himself or by and through any servant or agent, to carry as passengers in any automobile being so operated by him any and all such person or persons who shall apply to be transported therein, and who shall pay the proper fare for such transportation.

Section 4. That as a tax from said E. J. Dryden, which shall be in consideration for the privilege herein granted, the said E. J. Dryden shall pay to, and there shall be collected by, the City of Laredo, the sum of Twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars, per annum, payable in advance each year, the first payment to become due and payable immediately upon the final passage and approval of this ordinance, and shall be paid within a reasonable time thereafter.

Section 5. That the franchise and privileges herein granted shall remain in full force and effect, and continue and remain operative, for the term of three years from and after the final passage and approval hereof. Should said E. J. Dryden fail, within ten days after the franchise tax herein provided for is due and payable to pay same, then this franchise and privilege herein granted shall become and be forfeited, and of no further force and effect.

Section 6. That all automobiles operated by said E. J. Dryden in said passenger transportation business shall be operated in both directions upon and over the streets and avenues hereinabove named and designated, and shall be continuously operated from the hour of 6 o'clock a. m. until the hour of 9 o'clock p. m. of each and every day. That said automobiles shall be so operated as to provide, as near as possible, a regular schedule along and over said streets and avenues, in each direction, and so that one of said cars will pass any given point along said route, going in each direction, at least once each half-hour of the day, which service shall be continued and maintained throughout the day, un-

less through some unforeseen mishap to any of said cars, said service is impossible; and, in that event, service shall be continued, with the remaining cars, as good as is possible, and said car so taken out of service for any repair or repairs shall be replaced in service without unnecessary delay, and said schedule of service each half hour resumed.

Section 7. That it shall be unlawful for any person or persons other than said E. J. Dryden to maintain, or attempt to maintain, a schedule of service upon, along or over any of the streets or avenues above named, for the purpose of carrying passengers in automobiles, for a fare per person equal to, or less than, that being charged by said E. J. Dryden for such transportation, without having first applied to the city council of the City of Laredo for permission so to do, and without having paid the franchise tax assessed by the city council for such privilege, and without having had his said application granted by the city council, and any person or persons operating, or attempting to operate, a regular schedule of transportation service for carrying passengers upon, along or over any of said streets or avenues, using automobiles as a means of conveyance, charging a fare equal to, or less than, that being charged by E. J. Dryden under this ordinance, without having first made application to the city council for permission so to do, and having such permission granted by the city council, and having paid the franchise tax assessed by the city council, shall be, upon conviction, deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction, shall be fined in any sum of money not less than one dollar or not more than twenty-five dollars, and each and every day of operation, or attempted operation, of such regular scheduled automobile transportation business shall be deemed a separate offense.

Section 8. That the fare to be charged by said E. J. Dryden for transporting passengers from any one point to any other point along said route, over said streets and avenues, in either direction, shall not exceed the sum of five cents per person.

Section 9. That said E. J. Dryden shall execute and deliver to the city secretary of the City of Laredo, to be approved by the mayor of the City of Laredo, a good and sufficient bond, signed by himself, as principal, and by two good and sufficient sureties, who own, in their own right, within the State of Texas, property, not exempt to them by law, and over and above all liabilities owing by them, of the value of the amount of said bond, which bond shall be made payable to L. Villegas, Mayor of the City of Laredo, and to his successors in office, and shall be for the sum of Two Thousand and Five Hundred (\$2,500.00) Dollars, and shall therein describe the car it is given to cover, and shall be conditioned that the principal and sureties thereon shall be liable, during all of the time such car is operated in such business by the said E. J. Dryden, for all damage resulting to any person or corporation through negligence in the operation of said car. That one bond shall be executed, as herein provided, for each car so operated in such business, and shall be executed, on file with the city secretary, and approved by the mayor before said car is placed in operation.

Section 10. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

Section 11. That by reason of the fact that the necessity existing for a means of passenger transportation along and over the streets and avenues herein designated is so great, an emergency is created, requiring the suspension of that provision of the charter requiring that ordinances be read at three separate meetings before passage, and same is hereby suspended, and it is ordered that this ordinance take effect and become operative from and after the date of its passage.

Passed and approved the 21st day of June, A. D. 1921.

L. VILLEGAS,
Mayor.
A. R. GARCIA,
City Secretary.

6-23-10c.

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Every family should keep this preparation at hand during the heat of the summer months. It is almost sure to be needed, and when that time comes, is worth many times its cost. Buy it now.

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LOCAL NEWS

—Mexican Consul General Guillermo S. Seguin will be the guest of honor at the Kiwanis luncheon at the Hamilton Hotel Cafe on Thursday. This announcement was made by the Kiwanis program committee today.

—Pasteurized milk will keep sweet when all other soured. Laredo Creamery Co. 6-22-6t.

—Mrs. del Barrio, 118 Hidalgo St. does hemstitching, picoting, dress-making, alterations of all kinds. Prices and work will please. 6-21-15t.

—The importations through this port from Mexico yesterday consisted of one carload of baskets and some goods by truck over the footbridge. 6-22-6t.

—Walter Brown, manager of the Laredo Abstract Company, has commenced business at Room 21, Bertani building. Phone 306. 6-15-1t.

—We do multigraph work; 1109 Iturbide street. 6-8-1m.

—A. Saff, books and stationery. 6-7-1t.

—You can drink and enjoy pasteurized milk. Laredo Creamery Co. 6-22-6t.

—Tomorrow being St. Peter's Day, there will be a celebration of Holy Communion at Christ Church at 7:30 a. m. 6-22-6t.

—Gasoline 17c per gallon in barrel lots. Auto Supply Company, Phone 1414. 6-2-1t.

—Mrs. Jovita Ibar Juarez, translator of commercial and legal papers, circulars, etc. Typewriting and copying. Telephone 1203. 6-1-1m.

—Pasteurized milk is a guaranty against disease germs. If you don't think this is so, ask your physician. Laredo Creamery Co. 6-22-6t.

—Don't forget to jot it down in your "engagement book" to see that ball game at Caliche Park beginning at 5 o'clock Friday afternoon between the Rotarian and Kiwanians. It promises to be the greatest game played east of the Zacate this season. 6-22-6t.

—Piano tuning and repairing. Work guaranteed. Phone 1045. 6-8-1m.

—Philadelphia diamond grid battery sales and service. Phone 646. 6-11-1t.

—When wanting pasteurized milk from tuberculin-tested cows, phone Laredo Creamery, No. 237, or W. Y. Bunn at 356. 6-22-6t.

—The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: Justino Vasquez and Miss Leonor Banda, Geronimo Rodriguez and Miss Ramona Orozco. 6-22-6t.

—If you need a plumber in a hurry Phone 1203 Juarez Plumbing. 6-16-1t.

—Cut flowers and floral offerings. Green, the florist. Phone Crockett 4107. Avenue C, at 8th St., San Antonio, Texas. 2-3-1t.

—If you will give the Laredo Creamery an order for ice cream, and it isn't entirely satisfactory, we will gladly refund your money. 6-22-6t.

—Julian Ramirez, arrested on a charge of conversion of an automobile, was given an examining hearing before Justice of the Peace Altee this morning and bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$300. 6-22-6t.

—Do you desire comfort? Use electric lights and fans. 4-24-1t.

—We paint automobiles; also make auto tops. Fidel Cantu, Phone 202. 6-15-1t.

—Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office; residence 812 Farragut street. Residence phone 348. 4-27-1t.

NOTICE.

To Everybody Who Goes Across the River:

After July 1st there will be cars running every few minutes from the arvis Plaza down Convent Avenue to the foot-bridge and return. Fare 5 cents. Take Footbridge Flier Car. Thanks.

Yours for service,
JITNEY, Ltd.
6-22-8t.

BANKRUPTCY SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale to me issued and delivered by J. C. Scott, a Referee in Bankruptcy in and for the Southern District of Texas, at the former place of business of Flavio Vargas, bankrupt, in the Valls Building on Hidalgo Street, in Laredo, Texas, I will sell for cash at private sale, free of all liens, on Monday, July 11, 1921, and on each successive day thereafter until all of such property is disposed of, at the highest prices obtainable, all the stock of goods, fixtures and personal property belonging to the estate of Flavio Vargas, bankrupt.

Issued this 21st day of June, 1921.
F. M. RAMSAY,
Trustee of Flavio Vargas, Bankrupt.
6-24-14t.

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NOTICE BY PUBLICATION IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Webb County.—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published (in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been published continuously and regularly for a period of not less than one year in your county) at least once a week for two consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, copies of the following notice:

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of Doroteo Ramon, deceased: Eufemia V. de Ramon, executrix, has filed an application in the County Court of Webb County on the 27th day of June, 1921, for the probate of the last will and testament and letters testamentary on the estate of Doroteo Ramon, deceased, which said application will be heard by said court on the 18th day of July, 1921, at the Court House of said county, in Laredo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear and answer said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Laredo, Texas, this 27th day of June, 1921.

J. A. RODRIGUEZ,
Clerk Co. Court, Webb Co., Texas.

A DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY.

JUNE 28

1719—Duke of Choleul, the able minister of Louis XV of France, born. Died in Paris, May 8, 1785.

1831—Joseph Joachim, who was classed by many critics as the greatest violinist of his day, born near Presburg. Died in Berlin, Aug. 15, 1907.

1834—Michigan Territory was enlarged to include a large section of trans-Mississippi country.

1846—Vice President Dallas cast the deciding vote in the senate for the repeal of the obnoxious tariff of 1842.

1871—George William Curtis of New York was chosen chairman of the U. S. Civil Service Commission.

1896—Fifty-eight lives were lost in a mining disaster at Pittston, Pa.

1900—The Knedive of Egypt visited Queen Victoria at Windsor.

1904—Dan D. Emmett, the famous minstrel who wrote "Dixie," died at Mt. Vernon, O. Born there, Oct. 23, 1815.

ALL SEASON RADISHES.

Anybody can grow a radish.

That is, anybody will get a round, pungent root under almost any sort of soil conditions, but some radishes have a habit of snapping back at you when you snap your teeth into them. After some study it has been discovered the sharpness of the radish can be controlled so that we may have mild-flavored radishes or hot, snappy ones almost at will. The source of the bite is fresh manure in the surface soil. A majority of good gardeners manure their gardens in the spring and radishes, being among the first seeds to go into the soil after the manure is spaded in are likely to find some fresh manure in the surface soil.

Manure either should be spaded in deeply in the radish bed in the spring or it should be given as a top dressing between the rows, if you want mild-flavored radishes. Radishes, of all vegetables, must be kept growing at top speed or else they are likely to grow plithy and hollow too early in their career.

Everyone is familiar with the little round radishes of the early gardens and the later icicle, the snowy, fine-flavored white radish, which has won the foot popularity; but the fall and winter radishes are just beginning to become known.

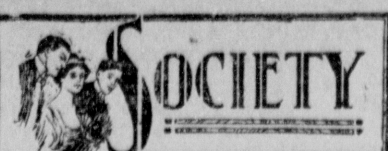
A typical fall radish is the White Strassburg. Sown in May or June and given ample room to develop it makes fine large roots of good flavor for use in August and September. The long Black Spanish is another radish of this type but can be sown later and the later sowings can be stored in the cellar for winter use.

The Japanese winter radishes grow to the largest size. These fall and winter radishes offer a fine variety for table use, either eaten or sliced raw as the spring radishes or sliced in salads.

The Yellow Tree Poppy.

By far the best of the poppy family for cutting is the yellow tree poppy sometimes called the bush escholtzia. Its botanical name is Hunnemannia, and under this heading it will be found in catalogues. May sown seeds will give blooming plants in July, which will continue lifting their golden cups above the fine gray-green foliage until frost. These plants grow about two feet high and are of branching habit.

Goldfish have been known to live sixty years.



SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Wednesday.

The girls of the High School will give a reception at 9 o'clock in the morning honoring Misses Katherine Heaner and Miss Eloise Simmons at the International Institute.

The Prime of Life.

Just as I thought I was growing old, Ready to sit in my easy chair, To watch the world with a heart grown cold, And smile at a folly I would not share,

Rose came by with a smile for me, And I am thinking that forty year isn't the age that it seems to be, When two pretty brown eyes are near.

Bless me! of life it is just the prime, A fact that I hope she will understand; And forty year is a perfect rhyme To dark brown eyes and a pretty hand.

These gray hairs are by chance, you see— Boys are sometimes gray, I am told; Rose came by with a smile for me, Just as I thought I was getting old.

—Walter Leonard.

General Mention.

Miss Nina Vidaurri returned yesterday afternoon from San Antonio, where she has been for several weeks on a visit and where she attended the wedding of her brother Serapio on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Whittington arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of their son, Mr. M. K. Whittington.

Mr. M. K. Whittington left last night for San Antonio.

Mrs. E. H. Buenz leaves tonight for Arkansas and Oklahoma for a six weeks' visit to relatives.

Mrs. Walter J. Reiss and son Jack, who have been spending the past two months with Mrs. Elstetter, will leave in a few days for their home in Belleville, Ill.

Misses Fannie and Annie Preston, daughters of Dr. Preston of Austin, passed through Laredo today on their way to Mexico City on a visit.

Mrs. A. C. Hamilton is expected home Thursday from Beaumont, where she has been visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. Greer.

Mr. Pat Devine of Pharr, Texas, is in the city for a few days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. DeWolf have returned from New York City. They visited in Georgia before returning home.

Mr. Theodore has returned to Cotulla.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Shutt of Dolores spent Sunday in the city.

Mrs. Rex Shanks left the city Thursday night for Abilene and other points, she will return about August first.

Mrs. Hal H. Sevier of Austin, who has been visiting in Mexico City, passed through Laredo last evening on her way to her home in Austin.

Announcement.

Mrs. W. N. Young will entertain with a "movie party" tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in honor of Mrs. J. M. Daniels of St. Louis.

Entertainments.

A number of young men entertained Sunday afternoon with a dance at the Latin-American Club complementing their friends. Part of the band from Fort McIntosh furnished the music, and an ice course was served during the intermission.

One of the most delightful affairs of the week was the dance given last evening by a number of young men at Elks Club. Mrs. Allen Stowers, Bill Sames and Ernst Buenz rendered the music for 16 dances and four extras. Among those enjoying the pleasure of the evening were: Marguerite Yeager, Lucille Anthony, Phyllis Bunn, Merciel Lake, Alca Mayo Boord, Elizabeth Rogers, Florence Riner, Morine Bassett, Bess Sprance, Irene Leyendecker, Louise Cochran, Eva Scratchley, Maxine Taylor, Misses Pauls and Listner, Evelyn Ryan, Mrs. A. E. Derby, Mrs. Allen Stowers, Capt and Mrs. Hooper of Fort McIntosh, Messrs. Trout, Philip Moore, Don Hussey, Tommy Thomas, Aaron Moser, Capt. Ryan, Fred Netzer, Anthony Sherman, Furney Muller, Bill Sames, Bill Austin, George Hodges, Tom and Randall Nye, Ernst Buenz, Howard Cox, Jack Chisholm, Ted Crutchfield, Ed Mullally, Clyde Brennan, Mr. Allen of New Orleans.

Honoring Girls.

The following program will be rendered tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at the reception given Misses Kathleen Heaner and Eloise Simmons, representatives of Laredo to Camp Idylwild, at the International Institute of the Y. W. C. A.:

Group Singing Girls.
Introductory Address Mrs. Ira O'Meara.
Talks on Camp Idylwild Misses Heaner and Simmons.
Medley of Popular Songs Misses Kathleen Heaner, Rosalie Wormser and Evelyn Ryan.
Reading, "Too Late," Miss Celeste Hamilton.
Piano Solo Miss Genevieve Camp.

Stunt.

Misses Dorothy Derby, Kathleen Heaner and Eloise Simmons.
Group Singing Girls.

WERE GIVEN LUNCHEON HERE WHILE EN ROUTE FROM MEXICO

Members of U. S. Chamber of Commerce and George Creel Entertained in Laredo By Charles Deutz.

D. A. Skinner, secretary of the United States Chamber of Commerce, headquarters at Washington, D. C.; Harry A. Black, president of the Black Hardware Co. of Galveston; W. W. Alexander, vice-president of the John Deere Plow Co. of St. Louis, both members of the executive committee of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, and George Creel, the well known newspaperman, formerly chairman of the board of public information during the world war, arrived in Laredo this morning from Mexico City.

They were met in Nuevo Laredo by U. S. Consul Randolph Robertson, Charles Deutz, F. A. Matthes and Stanley Scotchorn. After arrival on the American side and being taken for a sightseeing tour over Laredo they were guests of Charles Deutz at a luncheon at the Plaza Cafe. They left for the north on the noon train.

FORCED TO LAND.

By Associated Press.

El Paso, Texas, June 28.—David Davis and Eric Springer, the aviators who left Riverside, California, yesterday morning for a coast to coast flight and landed at El Paso, were unable to continue their flight today. One wing and the tailpiece of the machine were damaged last night in a windstorm. The officers say a 24-hour delay is necessitated.

TARIFF ON PETROLEUM.

By Associated Press.

Fort Worth, Texas, June 28.—Independent oil operators and producers in West Texas will confer with the petroleum division of the Southern Tariff Association here tonight to discuss the proposal of a tariff on petroleum and its products. A similar conference was held at Wichita Falls today and another will be held at Breckenridge tomorrow.

MARTIAL LAW.

By Associated Press.

Charleston, W. Va., June 28.—Governor Morgan's proclamation here today confirmed the declaration of martial law in Mingo county and commanded the assessor there to enroll all persons liable for military duty. He also ordered the sheriff to draft 130 men or accept 130 volunteers who will be mustered into the service of the state for 60 days.

TROPICAL HURRICANE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, June 28.—A special bulletin today of the weather bureau said the disturbance from the Caribbean sea was central today over the southwestern Gulf of Mexico and moving northwestward, with its intensity undetermined. Vessels in Mexican waters are warned to exercise caution.

PABST RESIGNED.

By Associated Press.

Galveston, Texas, June 28.—Fred C. Pabst, collector of customs here, after serving seven years, forwarded his resignation to Secretary Mellon. His successor is not announced but is believed to be R. W. Humphries, a personal friend of President Harding.

IRISH TO CONFER.

By Associated Press.

Belfast, June 28.—Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, announced today that the Ulster cabinet accepted the invitation of Lloyd George for a proposed conference of representatives of Northern and Southern Ireland and the British premier. Craig will be accompanied by all the ministers of the Ulster cabinet with the exception of Sir Dawson Bates, whose duties at home necessitate his remaining in Belfast.

Dublin Parliament Meets.

Dublin, Ireland, June 28.—The Southern Irish parliament established by the home rule act opened here today.

The claquers in the Buenos Aires theaters, men and boys whose vocation is to create applause, have demanded the right to be unionized as a regular part of the theatrical profession.

NEW JERSEY CLERGYMEN ASKED FOR ORDER TO RESTRAIN DEMPSEY-CARPENTIER FIGHT

Wanted Rickard to Show Cause Why He Should Not be Restrained from Staging the Championship Bout--Chancellor Stevenson Denied the Motion, Saying He Could Not Hear the Arguments.

WANT SUBSIDY FOR THE MINERS

LLOYD GEORGE WILL ASK FOR MILLIONS SO THAT MINERS MAY AGREE TO WORK.

By Associated Press.

London, June 28.—The British coal mine strike, which has been in progress since April 1, is settled, it was officially announced today. It is understood Lloyd George will ask parliament today to authorize the granting of a £10,000,000 subsidy for the mining industry. The miners will resume work generally Monday if the subsidy is granted. The government offered a subsidy recently, but withdrew it.

GAINES ASKED HABEAS CORPUS

EXHAUSTING OTHER RESOURCES HIS COUNSEL CLAIMS NO JURISDICTION IN TEXAS.

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, June 28.—Every defense motion, including a plea in abatement and a change of venue, having been overruled in the state court, counsel for Charles Gaines today appealed to the federal court for a writ of habeas corpus to remove the defendant from the jurisdiction of the Texas courts. Federal Judge James C. Wilson, in whose court Gaines is under indictment for mail robbery, opened the hearing on the application today. Meanwhile a special venire of 300 men appeared in the state criminal court, Judge Phippen having ordered the selection of a jury to try Gaines on the charge of murder. Defense counsel in applying for a writ of habeas corpus asserts that Gaines was removed from Indianapolis, where he was arrested, to Dallas on a federal warrant charging him with mail robbery and that Texas courts are without authority to try him on another charge.

AGREED ON COMPROMISE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, June 28.—The compromise draft of the Knox-Porter resolution to end the state of war against Germany and Austria was agreed upon today by the Republican conferees of the senate and house. The Republicans planned to get the compromise to a vote in the house tomorrow and the senate later in the week, so as to place it in the president's hands before the week-end congressional recess.

USING ECONOMY.

By Associated Press.

Washington, June 28.—Following out the administration's announced policy of economy, the war department since March 4 has cancelled 349 leases, saving the government \$31,531 monthly rentals. Secretary Weeks announced today. The policy of reducing expenses would be continued, he said, adding that the department is now preparing for the abandonment of the chemical warfare plant at Lakehurst, N. J. The equipment will be moved to the Edgewood arsenal in Maryland and 10,000 acres of land will be sold.

SIGMA CHIS MEET.

By Associated Press.

Cleveland, Ohio, June 28.—Approximately five hundred college men will be here tomorrow to attend the opening of a four day session of the thirty fifth grand chapter of Sigma Chi fraternity convention. Today was devoted to registration, a visit to the Beta Eta chapter of Case and Western Reserve college and a theatre party.

Among those expected to attend the convention are George Ade, author and humorist, and Burr McIntosh, writer and actor.

The first business session will be held Tuesday.

By Associated Press.

Jersey City, N. J., June 28.—Robert Watson, an official of the international reform bureau, accompanied by five Jersey City clergymen, appeared today in chancery court in an effort to block the Dempsey-Carpentier fight.

Through counsel the delegation sought an order directing Promoter Tex Rickard to show cause why an injunction restraining the bout should not be issued. A decision is expected today. There was no one in the court representing Rickard. Meanwhile Mayor Hague was conferring with the heads of the fire and police departments and Rickard concerning protection for the crowd at the bout.

Seven hundred police will form, all extending four blocks beyond the rim of the octagonal arena. Nobody without a fight ticket will be allowed to pass. Four hundred additional police and 300 firemen will be posted within the arena. Rickard offered to reimburse the city up to \$25,000 for expenses in apprehending and prosecuting persons reported to be scattering spurious tickets over the country, Mayor Hague said.

Denied the Motion.

By Associated Press.

Jersey City, N. J., June 28.—Vice Chancellor Stevenson today denied the motion of the International Reform Bureau for an order directing Tex Rickard to show cause why he should not be restrained from staging the championship fight. Chancellor Stevenson, however, gave the representatives of the bureau permission to apply to another chancellor for such an order. The clergymen departed to look one up. Chancellor Stevenson explained that he was leaving town late today and was unable to hear the argument.

MORE FILIBUSTERS.

By Associated Press.

Brownsville, Tex., June 28.—A band of 20 alleged Mexican revolutionists, said to have been led by Ismael Rodriguez, crossed the Rio Grande into Mexico, 12 miles southeast of Hidalgo, Texas, early Monday, according to information received from Fort Brown today. Mexican cavalry are reported pursuing the band. At Matamoros, opposite Brownsville, today it was said that nothing further was heard from the rebel hands under the purported leadership of General Pablo Gonzalez and Francisco Murgula, recently reported operating in Tamaulipas.

LAUDS CONSTITUTION.

By Associated Press.

London, June 28.—Viscount Bryce, former British ambassador to Washington, inaugurating the Sir George Watson chair of American history at the Mansion House here today declared the United States constitution was "the greatest single contribution to government as an applied science." He asserted that Englishmen studied American history too little and hoped that the Watson foundation would bear abundant fruit in a better understanding between the two people.

BONAPARTE IS DEAD.

By Associated Press.

Baltimore, Md., June 28.—Charles J. Bonaparte, attorney general in the Roosevelt administration, died at Belle Vista, his country home near here today. He has been in poor health for about a year, suffering from a heart affection which became complicated with kidney trouble. He was 70 years old and leaves an invalid widow.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Lyman J. Gage, former Secretary of the Treasury, is 85 years old today.

Consideration of the Sheppard Infancy and Maternity Aid Bill is scheduled to begin in the United States senate today.

Columbus, O., is to be the meeting place today of the annual national convention of the United Commercial Travelers.

The Rt. Rev. August J. Schwertner, the new Catholic bishop of Wichita, is to be formally installed in his diocese today.

Mrs. Eva Catherine Kaber and her daughter, Miss Marian McArdle, who are accused of the murder of Daniel F. Kaber, Cleveland publisher, are to have a preliminary hearing in court today.

DISSENSION IN G. O. P. RANKS

NEW REPUBLICAN MEMBERS ASK CONGRESS TO CUT RED TAPE AND GET BUSY.

By Associated Press.

Washington, June 28.—Representative Ansorge of New York issued a statement today asserting that the new Republican members in the house were dissatisfied with the progress made by congress in the special session and that ten others had joined in a call for a conference tomorrow night for approximately 100 new Republican members to discuss the situation. He said: "We are not meeting in any spirit of revolt. The new members wanted to cut some of the red tape and substitute action for delay."

FEIGN ATTACK ON BATTLESHIP

DUMMY BOMBS LOADED WITH CONCRETE TO BE DROPPED ON BATTLESHIP IOWA.

By Associated Press.

Norfolk, Va., June 28.—Naval planes, including bombers, which will participate in an attack on the radio-controlled battleship Iowa off the Virginia coast today left the base here at 8:10 this morning. Locating the battleship forms the first and one of the most important phases of the problem. The squadron, formed of light and heavy bombing planes including seven army F-5LLS and a number of huge Marine Corps Martin bombers, is ready to hop off and attack the vessel on notice that it is located by the scouting planes. Dummy bombs filled with concrete instead of powder and weighing up to half a ton will be used in the "attack." The airmen are required to test their ability to hit a moving target at a minimum height of 4,900 feet.

WHEAT MARKET BROKE.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, June 28.—Severe breaks in the wheat market occurred today, some sales showing a loss of

From Tuesday's Daily.

A RADICAL MOVE.

The Socialist convention in Detroit has been the recipient of a resolution which may or may not be adopted, but which would be one of the worst in its effect upon the organization of any that ever has been offered.

The resolution calls for a conference of all radicals, all labor unions and the members of the Farmer-Labor party to form an alliance to prevent wars in future by a threat of general strikes.

Behind this resolution is seen the fine Bolshevik hand of Lenin, Trotsky et al who want the United States bound hand and foot in case of any future war, and who know that the laborers and the socialists of no other country would keep such an agreement as regards their own countries.

When the war broke out in 1914 it was freely predicted by the radicals in this country that it could not continue for long, as the Internationale, of embracing all the socialists of the European countries would order general strikes in each of those countries and prevent their members from serving with the colors, besides exerting their influence to keep others from giving military service.

What was the result? In Germany, where the socialists were the strongest, and where, by the way, the project originated, the workingmen were the first to respond to the mobilization order, and the socialists fought the war to the bitter end, doing nothing to prevent the bloody struggle until the disastrous end was in sight, when they boldly announced that they were tired of fighting and formed the "republican" party which caused the revolution.

In Russia the radicals went to the front with the others, but as most of their leaders were in German pay they caused discontent among the Russian soldiers and finally caused the disastrous defeat that led to the Kerensky revolution, overthrowing that when it was no longer of use and founding the present soviet government.

The effect of such an "alliance" in this country would be to cause strikes and prevent the full force of the American manhood from being of use in a military way, while the radicals of other countries would gladly and voluntarily mobilize in order to attack and defeat our nation and loot its resources.

In other words, the radicals of the world are attempting to make of this country another Russian shambles, with the hope of enriching themselves and returning to their native lands, where they hope to lord it over their less fortunate comrades.

Every move of the radicals in this country has been dictated by the radicals of Europe, mostly those of Russia, although the radicals of all the other countries of Europe are either in the pay of the soviet leaders or are affiliated with them in some way.

We have seen what the radicals did to Hungary, defeated and impoverished by the war. We have seen what the Italian radicals tried to do in that industrial country where the industrial worker is the most favored of all laborers, and where the farmer is ground into the dust because the "socialists" have the upper hand in all labor organizations.

We have seen what the radicals in this country—at first under the orders of the German secret service and later under those of the Russian soviet—tried to do to our factories, our shipyards and our railroads.

An alliance between radicals, labor union men and Farmer-Labor followers! That is a certain indication of what these various elements are desired to do by the real radicals of the country. But the labor unions have so far held aloof from any such agreement, and the farmers are not apt to mix with the people who tried to burn their wheat fields and dynamite elevators filled with grain in order that Germany might win in the recent war.

WHY NOT CELEBRATE?

There is some disappointment and not a little wonder on the part of some of our residents over the failure—the repeated failure—of Laredo to celebrate in some fitting manner the Fourth of July. Even if there were nothing more than a parade of the world war veterans and the other former service men, the Boy Scouts and the civic societies, headed by the troops and the band from Fort McIntosh, it would be in some sense a recognition of the natal day of our country.

Our neighbor across the river makes much of the independence day of Mexico and the other days celebrated in memory of some glorious page in her history, and they wonder why it is that we pay so little attention to our festal days which should be remembered, as well for the youth of the country as for the past, the glorious past, of our country.

Well was it said of a former period: "There were giants in those days!" And we, in our pursuit of the material and our forgetfulness of the spiritual and the uplifting, are growing puny in comparison.

It is somewhat to our shame that we permit Decoration Day, that one day on which we remember the heroic dead, to go by without more than passing notice. But Decoration Day is

merely a day adopted for the annual honors to those who gave their lives for their country, while the Fourth of July is the birthday of the nation, the actual anniversary of the day on which our forefathers, the founders of the Republic, put their names on the immortal document that has been the model for many nations in their declaration of independence of all foreign rule.

The army posts throughout the country are required by regulation to observe the day with appropriate ceremonies. The salute is fired at daybreak, the troops are assembled in parade, and the other formal recognition of the day is carried out.

But we, too, have a duty to perform. We, too, have a share in the day that is not confined merely to the men in the military service of the country. We should have some sort of a celebration that will show the children what we think of the immortal heritage passed down to us from our fathers, and not merely let the soldiers do our celebrating for us.

All over the country the day has degenerated into a day of picnics, of sports and games, of prize fights and athletic contests. It is no longer a day on which to be proud that we are Americans, and to give an example to the foreigners who are living among us.

It is urged here that we need not celebrate because some of the neighboring towns are doing it for us! And because a few hundred people will make a trip to some neighboring place and put in the day in bathing and eating and watching a baseball game, we are not to have any celebration of our own!

We boast of what we are doing for our children. We expend money for the training of the children in school, for the inculcation of patriotic doctrines through the Boy Scout movement, for the uplifting of the children of the poor, and then we turn about and let our one day of real cause for celebration go by the board. To some of the children the signers of the Declaration of Independence are getting to be as much of a myth as Santa Claus.

But a few years ago, so few that we are still reminded of the day of battle by the insignia worn by the soldiers, we took part in the greatest war of all times. We were victorious, yet we do not boast; we conquered, yet we humbly say: "Not to us the glory!"

If only for the sake of teaching the rising generation the lesson of patriotism, of loyalty to the men who fought for our freedom, of reverence for the men who still bear the torch to illumine our path, we should have some sort of a celebration of the Fourth of July.

If it is too late this year, we should prepare to make next year a proper and fitting memorial of our independence.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME FRIDAY IN AWAITED WITH INTEREST

Kiwanis and Rotary Professionals Will Meet in Deadly Combat on Field of Honor Friday Afternoon.

Babe Ruth may be the champion slugger of the big leagues, but Babe has never been in a class with such players as those who will comprise the line-up of the Laredo Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs who meet in deadly "combat" at Caliche Park on next Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock to play the game that will decide the championship of Class Z in Laredo.

The Kiwanis won the first game played with the Rotary aggregation and then the Rotary came back in the second game and evened up things. Now a tie exists, causing that great suspense that makes everybody do some calculating as to who the real champions are. The Rotary Club is determined to win the deciding game on Friday, ditto the Kiwanians. It is just as interesting a contest in Laredo as the Dempsey-Carpenter slugfest is throughout the big world.

Notice to My Patrons.

I have had my cows tested for tuberculosis and they were found free from any disease.

M. A. HARPER.
(Harper's Dairy, Phone 494.)
7-22-Im.

JESUS CANTU MET DEATH BY ACCIDENT NEAR TAMPIO

Was Formerly Employed at Latin-American Club in This City and Was Well Known in This City.

Jesus Cantu, who came to this country from Mexico several years ago and for some time was employed at the Latin-American Club in this city, met a tragic death in Tampico on June 8, according to advices received here.

Several months ago Cantu left here for Tampico to accept a position with the Aguila Oil Co. and was in the pursuit of his duties on June 8 when he was knocked down and run over by a locomotive of the oil company, the engine passing over his chest and killing him instantly.

Hello Boys!
We have just received a large assortment of the famous instructive "Gilbert" toys, Erectors, telegraph sets, wireless outfits, brick tower Erectors, wheel toys, puzzles, etc. Call and see our displays.

Central Hardware Store,
M. M. Treviño & Co.,
Laredo, Texas.



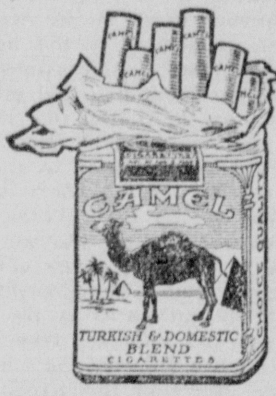
I ought to know— I grow tobacco

You can't beat a Camel, because you can't beat the tobacco that goes into Camels.

That's why Camels are the choice of men who know and love fine tobacco. They know what makes Camels so smooth, so fragrant and mellow-mild.

They'll tell you that the expert Camel blend of choice Turkish and Domestic tobaccos makes a cigarette smoke you can't equal—no matter what you pay.

But it doesn't take an expert to tell Camel quality. You'll spot it the very first puff. Try Camels yourself.



R. J. REYNOLDS Tobacco Co.
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Camel

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY.
JUNE 28
Democratic National Convention opened in San Francisco.
Anarchist demonstrations were reported in many cities of Italy.

Recommends Chamberlain's Tablets.
"Chamberlain's Tablets have been used by my husband and myself off and on for the past five years. When my husband goes away from home he always takes a bottle of them along with him. Whenever I have that heavy feeling after eating, or feel dull and played out, I take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets and they fix me up fine," writes Mrs. Newton Vreeland, Minoa, N. Y. Take these tablets when troubled with constipation or indigestion and they will do you good.

AT LAREDO MOVIES.
At the Royal Today.
If you don't believe there is romance in pickles see Jack Pickford in "Just Out of College," a George Ade comedy that will give you a new lease on life. At the Royal Theatre beginning today.

"Sins of Rosanne" at Rialto.
The mysticism and romance of South Africa, its diamond mines and the witchcraft still practiced by some of the natives form the background of "Sins of Rosanne," starring Ethel Clayton, which will be the feature attraction at the Rialto Theatre for two days commencing today. The story was written by Cynthia Stockley, author of "April Folly" and other romantic tales of the tropics.

Notice.
The annual meeting of the Stockholders of The Texas-Mexican Railway Company will be held at the company's office, Laredo, Texas, June 29, 1921, at 9:00 a. m. for the purpose of electing directors and the transaction of such business as may be brought before the meeting.
The Board of Directors will also hold meeting immediately after adjournment of stockholders.
A. B. MULLER,
Secretary

We Buy Rags.
Wash all the old rags that you have and bring them to The Times office. Best prices paid. Rags must be soft and clean.

IN THE DAY'S NEWS
JUNE 28
Lyman J. Gage, who celebrates his eighty-fifth birthday today, was numbered among the leaders in American banking and finance, until his retirement from active affairs some years ago. A native of New York State, at the age of 19 he went to Chicago to seek his fortune and found employment as a bookkeeper with a lumber concern. Later he entered the employ of one of the Chicago banks in a similar capacity and in less than six months was promoted to the position of paying teller. He soon gave unmistakable evidence of the possession of a high character of banking genius. In 1891 he had risen to the presidency of the largest bank in Chicago and was recognized as one of

the foremost financiers in the West. His great financial abilities were brought to the service of the Government when he accepted the treasury portfolio in the McKinley cabinet, in 1897, a position he continued to fill for five years. In 1902 he resigned to become president of a trust company in New York City. Upon reaching his seventieth year he retired from business and has since resided in southern California.

A REAL TRIAL.

North—"I see they're reviving the talk about trial marriages. Do you believe in them?"
West—"Well, mine is quite a trial, but I can't say I believe in it especially."—American Legion Weekly

TIMES WANT ADS.
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REMEMBER to ask your grocer for Calumet Baking Powder and be sure that you get it—the Indian head on the orange label. Then forget about bake day failures. For you will never have any. Calumet always produces the sweetest and most palatable foods. And now remember, you always use less than of most other brands because it possesses greater leavening strength.



Now Remember—
Always Use



CALUMET BAKING POWDER

There is no waste. If a recipe calls for one egg—two cups of flour—half a cup of milk—that's all you use. You never have to re-bake. Contains only such ingredients as have been officially approved by U. S. Food Authorities, is the product of the largest, most modern and sanitary Baking Powder Factories in existence. Pound can of Calumet contains full 16 oz. Some baking powders come in 12 oz. instead of 16 oz. cans. Be sure you get a pound when you want it.

Calumet
Columbia
Muffin
Recipe
—4 cups sifted flour, 4 level teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 eggs, 2 cups of sweet milk. Then mix in the regular way.

MILMOS HAVE 1000 PER CENT STANDING IN THE LEAGUE

Commercial League of Laredo is Putting Up First Rate Exhibition of the Great National Sport.

Team.	Played	Won	Lost	Per.
Milmo Nat'l Bank	4	4	0	1000
Camphuis & Co.	4	3	1	750
Ft. McIntosh No. 2	4	2	2	500
Brennan & Leonard	3	1	2	334
City Police	4	1	3	250
Express Co.	3	0	3	000

As will be seen from the above percentage table the Milmo National Bank team of the Laredo Commercial League have won every game played, while the Express Co. has lost every game played—quite a range of difference in the standing of the two teams. The summer schedule for the league comprises twenty games for each team, with the season closing the first week in October. They are governed by the same rules and regulations as the Laredo Baseball League.

In the double-header on last Saturday afternoon at Caliche Park the Camphuis & Co. team defeated Fort McIntosh No. 2 and the City Police team defeated Brennan & Leonard. On Sunday morning last the Milmo National Bank team won from the Express Co. team. The league has a series of games scheduled for July 2, 3 and 4 at Caliche Park, and as this is the celebration season, it is expected that large crowds will turn out to see the contests.

To the Public.

I am again engaged in contracting and building and solicit an opportunity to figure on your requirements.

T. J. EMERSON,
6-27-21. Phone 1511.

FORT MCINTOSH NOTES.

The third battalion returned today from the range and the first battalion will leave for the range. The battalion will fire automatic rifle and pistol and will then return to the Post.

Colonel W. Cochran returned to the Post from San Antonio, where he has been on official business.

The tennis tournament is still running in full force. Yesterday Dr. Wharton won from Pearson in two straight sets, Captain Moncreux won from Capt. Shropshire.

On Sunday Mrs. L. P. Stewart left with Captain Stewart for San Antonio. Captain Stewart is there on temporary duty.

Notice of Removal.

I have removed my office quarters from the Valls building to the Wilcox building, upstairs, with entrance near telegraph office. I have installed a new powerful X-ray outfit and am able to care for all X-ray work.

E. H. SAUVIGNET, M. D.
6-15-Im.

Will Recall Days of Youth.

On Thursday and Friday of this week many an adult will have fond memories of their childhood days recalled to them, they will again see the old school room and the schoolmaster, the frivolities of youth and everything to remind them that once they were kids. All this will be brought back to mind on Thursday and Friday at the Rialto Theater when that imitable actor, Charles Ray, will play Ezra in "The Old Swimmer" Hole," a play that should attract capacity houses on both days and nights, for everybody will want to see the picture.

NOTICE.

To the Residents of Fourth Ward:
The new Santa Maria-San Bernardo Downtown jitney loop will start operating on July 1st. Please study the route so you can find out where you can make the closest connection. Car every ten minutes. Take it going either way; makes no difference. Fare 5 cents. Tell your neighbors. Thanks. Yours for service,
JITNEY, Ltd.
6-22-21.

CHEERFUL WORDS.

For Many a Laredo Household.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove helpful to hundreds of Laredo readers.

J. C. Stein, barber, 1620 Lincoln St., Laredo, says: "Some time ago I came down with a severe backache. It hurt me to stoop over or straighten up. My kidneys acted too frequently and I was compelled to arise often at night. I heard Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended so I bought some and started using them. I used about two boxes and they entirely removed the trouble. I haven't been bothered since. I gladly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Stein had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

EXECUTIVE BOARD LAREDO SCOUT MET LAST EVENING

Interesting Report Made By Scout Executive on Camp Richter and Other Important Business.

At a meeting of the executive board of the Laredo Council of Boy Scouts held last night, presided over by President August C. Richter, much business of importance to the council was transacted, including the following statistics on the Boy Scout Camp held from May 26 to June 10 near Cotulla, the statistics being from the report of Scout Executive Mackay, and which showed as follows:

Number of scouts in camp, 167; number of scoutmasters, 7; number of visitors, 462; number of cooks, 3; equipment used, 25 large tents; also three fly tents and three field ranges; Scouts passed in swimming, 62; church work—chapel built in camp and services held daily. No sickness in camp. No accidents in camp. Discipline of Scouts was excellent. Extension work—Troops of Boy Scouts formed in Cotulla by Scout Executive Mackay to be under the Laredo Council. Total cost of camp, \$1,230.10; average cost each scout, \$6.00; amount paid by Laredo Council, \$948.22; balance paid by Scouts, \$281.88.

The committee was instructed to raise the balance of the budget fund of \$5,000 agreed upon last September. The sum of \$2,700 was raised, leaving a balance of \$2,300 to be raised.

L. J. Christen made his report on the convention of the Boy Scouts of Texas held at Austin. Attention was called to the fact that the National Council of Boy Scouts do not approve of Junior Scouts and Scout Executive Mackay was instructed to change the name of Laredo Junior Scouts to Wolf Troop and instruct the scoutmaster of Wolf Troop that it would be separated from the Scouts. Votes of thanks were extended Colonel Cochran, Scout Executive Mackay and others who assisted in making Camp Richter the success it proved.

EXCURSION RATES CORPUS BEGINNING NEXT SATURDAY

No Special Low Rate Offered For Celebration, But Tickets at \$7.70 Ars Good For Ten Days.

While there will be no special low rate round-trip tickets sold from Laredo over the Texas-Mexican to Corpus Christi for the big Fourth of July celebration which begins next Saturday, the excursion rates go into effect on that date and a round-trip ticket, limited to return ten days later, can be had for \$7.70, which includes war tax and everything.

Quite a number of Laredo people are planning to go to Corpus to take in the celebration, take a dip in the surf and squint at the mermaids, but they will not get special low rates for the occasion. However, they can go down to the seaside and remain ten days sporting themselves in the briny deep or killing time as they choose for ten days on a low rate excursion ticket.

Troop 7, Attention!

All Scouts are urged to be present for meeting July 1 (Friday) at 7:30 p. m. for special drill and callisthenics and instruction. Be sure and be present in uniform. Junior Scouts invited.

- J. R. FASNACHT,
Scout Master.

Attention Elks!

There will be a regular meeting of Laredo Lodge, No. 1018, B. P. O. Elks, this evening at 8:30 o'clock.

A. B. MULLER,
Secretary.

ASSUMED CHARGE OF OFFICE OF CONSUL GENERAL TODAY

New Consul General of Mexico, Guillermo S. Seguin, Took Over the Laredo Office This Morning.

Guillermo S. Seguin, the new Mexican consul general at Laredo, who arrived in this city yesterday morning accompanied by his wife and baby daughter, has become comfortably located on the Heights and assumed charge of the duties of consul general this morning, his office being in the same building with Mexican Consul Lisandro Peña at the corner of Faragut street and Salinas avenue.

This morning, in company with Mexican Consul Peña, Consul General Seguin made an official call on General Cabañez, the military commander of Nuevo Laredo, and the other federal, state and municipal officials over there and was cordially received by all.

NOTICE.

Every Sunday, commencing July 3rd, for the convenience of those who wish to visit the cemetery or to take a ride in the fresh air, there will be a car leave Jarvis Plaza every 30 minutes commencing at 6:00 a. m. Round trip fare 25c. Take Scenic Loop Car. Goes via Bella Vista, fare 10c.

Yours for service,
JITNEY, Ltd.
6-22-21.

In Sweden and Norway, a legal marriage at one time was not allowed to be performed until both parties had produced certificates stating that they bore genuine vaccination marks.

LOCAL NEWS

The following marriage license has been issued by the county clerk since last report: Santana Robles and Miss Anselma Esquivel.

Mrs. del Barrio, 118 Hidalgo St. does hemstitching, plotting, dress-making, alterations of all kinds. Prices and work will please.

Walter Brown, manager of the Laredo Abstract Company, has commenced business at Room 21, Bertani building. Phone 306.

The force of men under City Engineer Charles Frees engaged in flushing and testing out the sewerage mains and laterals will complete their work within the next few days. So far the sewerage mains have been found to be in excellent condition.

We do multigraph work; 1109 Iturbide street.

A. Saff, books and stationery.

Gasoline 17c per gallon in barrel lots. Auto Supply Company, Phone 1414.

The street roller and scarifier is busily engaged these days in scarifying and rolling the streets of the city which were torn up and put in bad condition while the sewerage mains were being replaced.

Mrs. Jovita Idar Juarez, translator of commercial and legal papers, circulars, etc. Typewriting and copying. Telephone 1203.

Piano tuning and repairing. Work guaranteed. Phone 1045.

Philadelphia diamond grid battery sales and service. Phone 646.

Don't fail to go out to Caliche Park on Friday afternoon and witness the ball game, beginning at 5 o'clock, between the Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs. Many thrills and much excitement is promised all who attend.

If you need a plumber in a hurry Phone 1203 Juarez Plumbing.

Cut flowers and floral offerings. Green, the florist. Phone Crockett 4107. Avenue C, at 8th St., San Antonio, Texas.

Since recent copious showers have blessed the Laredo section, the country herabouts looks better now than it has in many years at mid-summer. In most places there is lots of new and nutritious grasses and everywhere there is the appearance of springtime rather than the hot old summertime.

Do you desire comfort? Use electric lights and fans.

We paint automobiles; also make auto tops. Fidel Cantu, Phone 202.

Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office; residence 812 Farragut street. Residence phone 348.

ANOTHER MIRANDO WELL TO BE SPUDED IN NEXT FRIDAY

Mirando No. 5 Ready to Start Drilling; Killam-Condren Oil Co. Down to Depth 1059 Feet Last Night.

Work of drilling on Mirando No. 4 well of the Mirando Oil Co. having been temporarily suspended at a depth of 1,573 feet, and another derrick having been erected and the rig moved a distance of 500 feet to the eastward of Mirando No. 3, Driller Middlebrook of the Mirando Oil Co. is preparing to spud in Mirando No. 5 on Friday morning.

The Killam-Condren Oil Co., which is drilling in the Mirando field about 700 feet from Mirando No. 3, last night were down to a depth of 1,050 feet. The driller reports having encountered good formations at various depths and expects to strike the same pay sand as in Mirando No. 3, if not better, within the next 400 feet.

Several other companies are preparing to begin work of drilling in both Zapata and Webb counties, as soon as their rigs are installed and other arrangements completed.

WATERMELONS STILL QUOTED HIGH ON THE LOCAL MARKET

Cantaloupes, However, Are Down in Price and Were Being Sold Today on Streets at 30c Per Dozen.

The recent frequent and copious showers in this section have contributed much toward the making of big watermelon and cantaloupe crops, and as a consequence there are many watermelons and cantaloupes on the local market.

While the watermelons are most delicious at this season of the year and are also plentiful, they are still held at a high price, but it is probable that they will come down soon. Cantaloupes have dropped considerable in price during the past few weeks, and today small cantaloupes were being sold as low as 30 cents a dozen, which is a very reasonable price. Roasting ears are also plentiful at this time, and this morning were peddled about the streets of Laredo at 30 and 35 cents per dozen.

THE MAN WITH THE HOE SAYS.

Scabby potatoes are a thing of the past unless a gardener refuse to prevent them. Scab has been conquered, and the formalin or formaldehyde solution is the remedy. It is no longer a matter of experiment, but a tried and proved remedy and should not be omitted if a gardener wants fine, clean, potatoes. The solution usually used is one pound of formaldehyde to 20 gallons of water. A bushel of seed potatoes will need from one to two gallons.

Plant your early vegetable in one portion of the garden for economy of space and labor. They will all be ready to clear off for later crops at the same time approximately when a single planting of late cabbages, potatoes or sweet corn, may be put in.

Four rows of sweet corn 5 feet long planted side by side will produce more and better corn than one row 20 feet long with precisely the same number of plants. The reason is that there will be a better distribution of pollen by the wind carrying the powder through the rows. In a long single row the greater portion of it is blown away and does not fall upon the stalk to fertilize it and produce the corn. Each silk fertilized means a kernel of corn on the cob. Failure to fertilize accounts for cobs with bare spots upon them.

Eclipse or Express Cos lettuce is the first to mature. It is also the first to run to seed, so select some other variety for a later planting.

If you have any brush, shrub prunings or the like, lay it around the melons and cucumbers to give them something to climb over. It has the advantage of speeding the growth of the vines and keeping the fruits off the ground until they are of such size that they will not be hampered or misshapen by contact with the earth.

There are 32 different varieties of plant lice or aphids known and classified but, cheer up, one does of a good nicotine insecticide will kill all 32 of them. Don't forget to have a plant louse spray handy. Nicotine preparations ready for dilution are readily procurable and if they are not conveniently obtainable, it is an easy matter to stew up tobacco tea out of stems from the neighboring tobaccoist or from a can of road strong tobacco. Cigar clippings are excellent for the purpose.

If you have planted your lettuce near currant bushes it is dollars to doughnuts the lettuce will be infested with plant lice this year. Don't make the mistake again. The currants are notorious as favorite pasturage for some varieties of aphids which migrate speedily to the lettuce if there is any handy. Planting lettuce near currant bushes is to invite these pests and it is a hard matter to wash them off the lettuce. There is only one way and that is to soak the lettuce for an hour in strong salt water. This will bring the aphids to the surface, after which the lettuce may be washed clean with comparative ease. An aphid emerging from a serving of salad is destructive to appetite.

Don't waste hen manure. It is the richest of all domestic animal manures, too rich, in fact, to be used without care. Mix it in double its bulk of any earth, sifted ashes, or with leaves or straw before applying it to the soil and do not place it too close to the plants. A light dressing between rows of beans is very effective.

NOTICE IN PROBATE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Webb County, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Webb, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice.

To all persons interested in the Estate of Matias R. Zepeda, deceased: L. A. Lafon, executor, has filed in the County Court of Webb County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said Matias R. Zepeda, deceased, and letters testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the Third Monday of July, A. D. 1921, the same being the 18th day of July, A. D. 1921, at the Court House thereof, in the City of Laredo, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

Herein fail not, under penalty of the law, and of this writ make due return. Given under my hand and seal of office, in the City of Laredo, Texas, the 21st day of June, A. D. 1921.

Attest: J. A. RODRIGUEZ, Clerk County Court, Webb County.

Watch THE TIMES everyday for opportunities. 60c. per month.



SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Wednesday.

The Santa Cecilia Girls Club will entertain their parents with a music hour on Wednesday at 8 o'clock at St. Agustin Hall.

The girls of the High School will give a reception at 9 o'clock in the morning honoring Misses Katherine Heaner and Miss Eloise Simmons at the International Institute.

Thursday.

Mrs. W. N. Young will entertain with a movie party at 4 o'clock in the afternoon honoring Mrs. J. M. Daniels of St. Louis.

The Revellers will entertain with a dance in the evening at 8.15 o'clock at the Elks Hall. The hostesses will be Mrs. E. J. Foster, chairman; Mrs. Horace Watson, Mrs. Asher R. Smith, and Mrs. Joe Vidales. Members are asked to register for themselves and guests at once.

General Mention.

Vance Tonkin left last night for Florida.

Mrs. C. M. Fish has returned from Mexico City.

Mr. Herbert S. Green of San Antonio is expected in the city today en route to Mexico.

Mrs. G. W. Derby has returned from Mexico City.

Mrs. H. C. Hall has returned from Mexico City.

Mrs. Eusabio Garcia and daughter, Miss Ofelia and Misses Carrie Henry and Esther and Alice Penn, returned home this morning by auto from a two weeks' very enjoyable visit to the Garcia ranch at Ojuelos.

Mrs. Leonard Craig and children left here today for Houston, where they go to spend several months visiting relatives.

Mrs. B. M. Alexander and baby left here Sunday for St. Louis, where they go to spend several weeks visiting relatives. Mr. Alexander accompanied them as far as San Antonio and returned to Laredo this morning.

Announcement.

Friday night the Woman's Club will give the first shirt-sleeve dance. All young folks are specially invited. Well chaperoned by ladies from the club. Admission 25 cents.

Fourth of July Dance.

The Latin-American Club will give a dance Monday evening in honor of the Fourth of July.

Shore-Strain.

This morning at 9:30 at the Baptist parsonage Miss Adele Strain was married to Mr. Archie B. Shore of the Alhambra, Laredo, Rev. W. A. Knight officiating. The wedding was a quiet one, only immediate relatives of the bride being present, because of the recent death of her father. The newly-married couple will live at Kelly Field, where Mr. Shore will be on duty.

Reception.

The girls of the High School were charming hostesses in honor of Laredo's representatives to Camp Idylwild of the Y. W. C. A., Misses Kathleen Heaner and Eloise Simmons, this morning at 9 o'clock at the International Institute. A representative audience of Laredo's ladies and girls were present to enjoy an introductory address by Mrs. Ira O'Meara and very interesting talks by Misses Heaner and Simmons on camp life, its benefits, its pleasures and its results, toward the development of girls and girls' clubs. The group singing, with Miss Dorothy Derby at the piano and Mrs. G. C. Hiatt as leader, was a treat, as was also Miss Genevieve Camp's piano solo, "Kame-noi Ostrow," by Rubenstein, followed as an encore by Entertainers Rag, in which the air of "Yankee Doodle" is carried in the left hand while "Dixie" is played with the right. "Too Late for the Train," a reading, was rendered by Miss Celeste Hamilton in her usual fine style. The melody of popular songs by Misses Evelyn Ryan, Kathleen Heaner and Genevieve Camp was greatly appreciated. A stunt, "Tent Inspection," was given by Misses Dorothy Derby, Eloise Simmons and Katherine Heaner, with Meadames Ira O'Meara, G. C. Hiatt and Miss Vesta Sturges as inspectors. A fitting close to a very fine hour with the girls was a talk by Mrs. Elizabeth Lobdell, who has girls' interests and the Y. W. C. A. close to heart and is using her hands in perfecting a permanent organization for the girls of Laredo.

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

Abilene, Texas, June 29.—W. C. McCombs, tax assessor of Kent county, was instantly killed by lightning near Claremont Sunday, according to word received here today.

BUILDING COLLAPSED.

By Associated Press. Denison, Texas, June 29.—A dozen or more persons were injured, several seriously, when a three-story building collapsed here today.

DEBATE ON ALLIANCE.

By Associated Press. London, June 29.—Debate on the renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance began when the imperial conference opened here today. Arthur Neigen, the Canadian premier, is expected to open the debate laying Canada's views before the conference.

HEAVY FIRE LOSS.

By Associated Press. San Angelo, Texas, June 29.—The property loss in yesterday's disastrous fire here is estimated at between \$150,000 and \$350,000 today. A large wholesale grocery plant, the oil station and some freight cars were destroyed.

PLOT DISCOVERED.

By Associated Press. Constantinople, June 29.—A Turkish Bolshevik plot of vast proportions has been discovered by allied authorities here, it was announced today. Numerous arrests were made, including the alleged ringleader of the movement, a man named Augenblick.

OVERRUN MOTION.

By Associated Press. Chicago, June 29.—The defense motion in the baseball trials that indictments charging conspiracy for White Sox players to "throw" the 1919 world's series be quashed as illegal under the Illinois law was overruled by Judge Hoge here today.

NEAR VERA CRUZ.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 29.—A special weather bureau bulletin today states that the tropical disturbance in the Gulf of Mexico apparently was central northeast of Vera Cruz and slowly moving northward.

AT LAREDO MOVIES.

Does Not Act, But Lives Part. Charles Ray plays the part of Ezra, the lovable carefree barefoot boy in "The Old Swimmin' Hole," the first National feature attraction at the Rialto Theatre on Thursday and Friday.

"I do not act it," says Ray, "I simply live over again many scenes of my own boyhood. It seems only yesterday that I was going down the meadow path to the old creek back home on the farm where I was raised. And the little red schoolhouse on the hill came back to me as vividly as if I was still making life a burden to the teacher."

Ray, the critics declare, achieves the true artist's goal in playing with such naturalness and ease that the result is so realistic an impersonation of Ezra that the boy will be remembered as a real person rather than a screen creation inspired by James Whitcomb Riley's poem.

Alice Brady at Royal.

Alice Brady who is to be seen Thursday and Friday week at the Royal Theatre in "Out of the Chorus," owns a very beautiful parrot of rose point lace which once was the property of the late Empress Eugenie, who passed away in July. The handle of the parrot is of tortoise shell and ivory, set with five diamonds. Miss Brady purchased this interesting souvenir from one of the servants of the late Empress.

FEUDAL CEREMONIES.

By Associated Press. Launceston, Cornwall, Eng., June 29.—Picturesque feudal ceremonies of 600 years ago were revived here when the Prince of Wales, who is also Duke of Cornwall, paid a visit to the old-time capital of his duchy. Launceston has been a royal borough since about 1086.

The ceremonies included the presentation of rent and "offerings of fealty" in kind, according to ancient custom. The Mayor presented to the Prince 100 shillings and one pound of pepper on a silver dish.

To Sir Hugh Moleworth St. Aubyn fell the duty to offer a brace of greyhounds. According to ancient usage, they should be pure white, but the nearest obtainable approach was a well-matched pibald couple.

Another ducal tenant tendered a pair of gilt spurs, and others presented a pound of cumin, a salmon spear, a faggot of wood, a pair of white gloves and a rose.

Strangest of all these curious terms of tenure is one requiring the representatives of the manor of Swannacot and St. Mary Week to present themselves at the ducal court clad in mantles of goatskins. The present-day incumbent, Bethel Hutchings, stoically endured this attire over his ordinary clothes on a broiling hot day. His appearance suggested a blend of a modern country tourist and Robinson Crusoe.

The Prince, much amused at the variety of gifts, solemnly "confirmed" all the loyal tenants in their holdings.

CLERGY STILL TRYING TO PUT A STOP TO THE DEMPSEY-CARPENTIER BOUT FOR TITLE

More Newspaper Correspondents will be at Ringside than Reported the Progress of the World War--Many Nations Represented, Even Japan Having Special Writers to Give Report of the Fight.

HARDING WANTS THEIR OPINION

ASKS FOR EXPRESSION FROM BOTH HOUSES TO DISARMAMENT OF THE NATIONS.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 29.—President Harding today wrote to Representative Mondell, Republican leader in the house, that it is "wholly desirable" to have an expression of favorable opinion on the part of congress relating to world disarmament expressed in "the broadest and most general terms." The president added: "I am vastly more concerned with the attitude of congress on this question than with the form of expressing that attitude. You may be sure that the executive will be ready to give every consideration to such expressions as members of the two houses find themselves disposed to make."

OWE BILLION TO UNITED STATES

MELLON EXPLAINS WHY HE WANTS AUTHORITY TO REFUND THE WAR DEBTS.

By Associated Press. Washington, June 29.—Approximately a billion dollar in interest was owed the United States by European debtor nations up to about May 15, treasury officials told the senate finance committee today, in explaining the administration bill to give the secretary of the treasury broad authority for funding the allied debts.

Secretary Mellon told the committee that no suggestions had been made that the United States accept German reparations bonds. He said the only funding negotiations entered into were with Great Britain and that they were of a preliminary nature.

International Bank.

Washington, June 29.—The establishment in New York of an international banking institution to be known as "The Bank of Nations," with two billions of capital, to act as fiscal agent of the United States and other governments admitted as stockholders was proposed in a bill introduced today by Senator Hitchcock.

CONTINUE APPEAL.

By Associated Press. Dallas, Texas, June 29.—Federal Judge Wilson having denied the application for a writ of habeas corpus to halt the trial of Charles Gaines in the county criminal court on a charge of the murder of G. W. Street in the postoffice robbery, defense counsel today planned to carry the fight to the United States circuit court of appeals.

Began the Trial.

Dallas, Texas, June 29.—Judge Phippen in the criminal district court today forced the defense in the trial of Charles Gaines when he overruled the motion for a stay of proceedings and the selection of a jury was immediately begun.

Electric Cable Fell Down.

The overhead electric cable of the Laredo Electric & Ry. Co. which supplies the "juice" for the street cars, extending from the corner of Hidalgo along Flores to Farragut, and then on Farragut a short distance, fell to the ground last night about 8 o'clock. All traffic along that portion of Flores Avenue was stopped for about an hour while the line was repaired and policemen kept people away from the live wire.

Notice to My Patrons. I have had my cows tested for tuberculosis and they were found free from any disease.

M. A. HARPER, (Harper's Dairy, Phone 494.) 7-22-1m. ing in the least.

Jersey City, N. J., June 29.—Rev. Harry B. Wyatt, representing the Clergymen's Community Club of Jersey City, today laid before prosecutor Pierre Garvan a bill of complaint to stop the Dempsey-Carpentier bout. A letter accompanying the bill charged the principals and promoters with "conspiring to pervert the boxing or sparring law, also to violate the crimes act prohibiting prize fights."

Many Correspondents. New York, June 29.—Probably more newspaper correspondents than were employed on the battlefields of France in the world war will be present to report Saturday's champion ship match. Ike Dorgan, head of the press arrangements, said there would be 700 newspapermen at the ringside, the greatest array of fight chroniclers or chroniclers of any kind ever assembled to cover a single event. Two hundred correspondents will dictate to telegraph operators while the bout progresses. The remainder will sit encircling the arena directly in front of the holders of \$50 tickets. Reporters of many nations will watch Dempsey, the champion, and Carpentier, the Irishman challenger, battle for honors, and through their newspapers will tell the world the story of the encounter. Seven writers will be present waiting and hoping they will be able to flash the message of the victory of their countryman.

Finishing Training. Atlantic City, N. J., June 29.—Today is the beginning of the end of Dempsey's two months' training grind. The champion finished his workouts in the open air arena.

Carpentier Not Worried. Manhasset, N. Y., June 29.—As the day of the world's championship bout draws near everybody in the challenger's camp is getting nervous except Georges. He alone appears to be unconcerned.

Secretary Mellon told the committee that no suggestions had been made that the United States accept German reparations bonds. He said the only funding negotiations entered into were with Great Britain and that they were of a preliminary nature.

GAVE WARNING TO SOCIALISTS

DISABLED VETERANS SAID THEY WERE READY TO FIGHT AGAINST SEDITION AND TREASON.

By Associated Press. Detroit, Mich., June 29.—Fifty delegates of the disabled veterans of the world convention invaded the Socialist national convention and warned the socialists that the veterans were ready to "fight to defend the flag against sedition, disloyalty and treason."

Veterans' Busy Program. Detroit, Mich., June 29.—The selection of national headquarters, adoption of a constitution and action on numerous resolutions today were on the program of the American Disabled Veterans of the World War. One of the features of today's session was expected to be a report to the convention of the committee on sedition. An unsigned circular yesterday brought a demand for a resolution placing the committee on record against sedition.

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GERMAN CHIEFS NOW BEING TRIED

CHARGES OF FRENCH GOVERNMENT FORM BASIS OF TRIAL OF OFFICERS IN LEIPSIK.

By Associated Press. Leipzig, June 29.—Lieut. Karl Stenger and Major Benno Crusius, former commander of the 53d German infantry brigade in 1914, were placed on trial in the German supreme court here today on charges preferred by the French government. More than 50 witnesses were summoned. These were the first cases based upon French allegations to be brought before the court. Accused persons were tried here before charged by the British government with crimes in the war. Stenger is alleged to have ordered that no French prisoners be taken and Crusius is accused of transmitting this order. The French government is represented by a commissioner.

ULSTER PREMIER DECLINED TO GO

TOLD VALERA HE COULD NOT MEET HIM BECAUSE HE WAS GOING TO LONDON.

By Associated Press. Belfast, June 29.—Sir James Craig, the Ulster premier, declined today an invitation from Eamonn de Valera to meet him in Dublin. The invitation was contained in a letter to Sir James and other prominent Irishmen outside Valera's party asking them to meet him at the Mansion House Monday for a conference. The reply to de Valera's invitation said: "It is impossible for me to arrange any meeting. I have already accepted the prime minister's invitation to the London conference."

KILLED BY TRAIN.

By Associated Press. Wichita Falls, Texas, June 29.—A man believed to be James Rosser of Vernon, Texas, was instantly killed today when he was run down by a freight train on the Katy track. Rosser attempted to step from the track but his foot stuck in a switch. His body was badly mangled.

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TIME TO ACT.

The German "republic" now has a chance to prove its honesty of purpose and its desire to re-establish friendly relations with this country by refraining from placing among its diplomatic representatives, or even in its foreign office, some of the persons of unsavory odor who aided greatly in breaking off relations between their country and the United States immediately preceding the rupture and the declaration of war in April of 1917.

It is noted that Rintelen and Bernstorff, both active in the campaign against the United States for more than a year before we entered the war, as well as Boy-Ed, the naval attaché at Washington who was sent back in disgrace to his country, and Kennitz, the man who was responsible for the Eckhardt note to Mexico which almost resulted in the rupture of relations with that country as well, have become prominent in the councils of the new government in Berlin.

Their only usefulness could be along the lines of the old world diplomacy, although they are not even masters of that delicate and disreputable art. And if they are to have any part in the relations between the new Germany and our country, we may be sure that those relations will not be such as any loyal American can view with respect.

Every one of these men was guilty of the utmost treachery against the United States. Bernstorff as ambassador was the paymaster for the German agents who tried to destroy American factories, docks and shipping, and his office in Washington was a clearing house for the dirty work of Wilhelmstrasse, even for that aimed against the government to which he was accredited and of which he professed to be a friend.

Boy-Ed was engaged in some of the most despicable deals that ever disgraced his august and imperial master, and that is saying a great deal. He did not even attempt to deny his guilt when caught red-handed, and he tried to brazen it out by saying that he "knew his duty."

Naturally no government with any self-respect could have anything to do with such agents after the betrayal of trust of which they were guilty, and it is suspicious, to say the least, that they are to be considered as available for any posts under the present Berlin government.

If either of them is to be sent to a foreign country to represent the German government, let it be to any but one of the allied or associated nations, and above all let none of them come into contact in a diplomatic way with any of our representatives.

Any American diplomatic representative who would so far forget what was due his own country as to have any dealings with any of the contemptible scoundrels who sought the shield of their diplomatic character to save them from the proper punishment their conduct deserved would be unworthy of a place under our government.

It would even be an insult to require any American representative to meet these base creatures socially. They have offended against the laws of common decency, and they could not be considered by any respectable American as being worthy to enter his door.

The present Berlin government seems to have as little regard for the niceties, the common decencies, as regards intercourse between nations, as did the former imperial government. They seem to feel that Germany honors any other country by sending a representative, no matter how base or unworthy he may be, and that anyone selected to carry the German message to any part of the world should be received as at least the equal of anyone else.

Bernstorff could not be received by any of the allies as an ambassador. It might be that some of the cringing and obsequious neutrals, like Sweden and Holland, for instance, would receive him, but nowhere else would he be welcome.

And the same could be said of all that despicable group of degenerates, who preferred a lie to the truth and deceit to honor.

THE HUMBLE MAGUEY.

For many years—for centuries, in fact—the Mexicans have used the maguey plant for many purposes, its fiber for manufacture of various sorts, but the main use being for the manufacture of drinks, more or less alcoholic.

From the clear limpid sap of the plant, called "agua miel" by the natives, or "honey water," is manufactured the pulque, that drink only appreciated by the natives, and finally the distilled liquor in its various degrees of fineness known as mezcal or tequila.

But recent research has shown that the "agua miel" possesses saccharine qualities to a marked degree, so much so that a large percentage of saccharose and glucose can be extracted by the proper processes. The maguey is thus seen to be a valuable plant besides being useful for the manufacture of fermented or distilled liquors.

The agave or aloe, to which family the maguey belongs, is represented in Mexico by a number of species. One species is the amole, or soap plant, while another is the familiar "century plant," which was vulgarly sup-

posed to blossom only once every hundred years.

In its wild state the maguey flourishes all over Mexico, and there are a great many sections of southern and southwestern Texas where the plant grows naturally.

In some parts of Mexico the maguey is cultivated and produces a large quantity of sap which is converted into pulque or the distilled liquors. Plantations of the maguey produce a steady and comfortable revenue for their owners, even when used only for the manufacture of liquors.

But if the new process of extracting sweetness out of the common and somewhat despised plant is carried on to any extent, soon there will be a demand for its cultivation as a source of sugar.

Saccharose is the crystalline form of sugar, as distinguished from glucose and amylose, and after its extraction from the maguey a certain quantity of alcohol, useful in the arts and sciences, can be distilled, thus leaving little waste in the manufacturing process.

Little by little the natural resources of Mexico are being studied and the process of converting them into useful articles is perfected. The chemist will find many other things to develop in that rich country, and it is of especial value to the people that natural products of little value should form the basis of much wealth.

The guayule, for many years considered a nuisance, has produced many thousands of dollars' worth of rubber of good quality, and the industry is still in its infancy.

The candleilla weed, which covers a large extent of waste land, is producing a goodly quantity of a superior quality of natural wax, used in making phonographic records, in insulation and in many other ways where the cost of beeswax would be almost prohibitive.

Many people are familiar with the amole, the soap root used by the poorer Mexicans in place of the manufactured article, and there are many who prefer this natural emollient when caught red-handed, and lie to the soap formed by the mixture of grease and alkali.

One could go on at length in enumerating the riches which Nature has lavished on the people of Mexico, and do with such agents after the betrayal of trust of which they were guilty, and it is suspicious, to say the least, that they are to be considered as available for any posts under the present Berlin government.

The latest discovery of sugar in the maguey—sugar that is extractable and that can be converted with little cost—will surprise many who knew that the "agua miel" was insipidly sweet, but who did not realize that the percentage of saccharine matter was sufficient to be of value.

It will be strange to use sugar from the same plant that produces the sourish, disagreeable (to the stranger) liquor known as pulque. But science even turns coal tar into a rainbow of beauty.

ROTARY CLUB HELD MEETING WITH A LARGE ATTENDANCE

Service Talk By Roy K. Mims on "Banking" and Greetings Words By Consul General Seguin.

The weekly meeting of the Laredo Rotary Club was held yesterday at the Hamilton Cafe, with W. B. Heaner presiding. The roll call showed an attendance of 87.76, or an average attendance for the month of 86.29. The guests present were: Charles E. Schroder of Denver, Mexican Consul General Guillermo S. Seguin, Mexican Consul Lisandro Peña and W. W. Stein of Laredo, and M. H. Morn of Fort McIntosh.

Royle K. Mims made an interesting service talk on "Banking," followed by a short talk by Mexican Consul General Seguin, who brought greetings from his government to the Laredo Rotary Club. After the disposition of various routine matters, the making of announcements by the president, etc., choral singing was engaged in and the meeting closed with the assemblage all standing and singing "The Star Spangled Banner."

WOMEN FURNISHED THE CASH AND ARE RELEASED FROM JAIL

Three Women Held in Jail Charged With Shoplifting Put Up the Cold Cash Today and Released.

Three Mexican women who were recently arrested here charged with shoplifting at the Richter store, and who were given preliminary hearings a short time thereafter and granted bond in the sum of \$300 each, were today liberated upon furnishing the required bond.

The women this morning each handed the sheriff's department \$300 each, or a total of \$900 cash, and were released from custody until the next term of the district court, and failure to appear then will mean that they will forfeit their bond. Two other cases like this, in which cash bonds were furnished, have taken place in this city.

To Laredo Home-Makers. Elsewhere in this paper you will find the question asked: "Is Your House Electrically Modern?" The suggestions therein will interest you, especially if you contemplate any improvements in your home. Clip these suggestions and file them for reference.

Laredo Electric & Ry. Co. Watch THE TIMES everyday for opportunities. 60c. per month.

NEW DECREE IS EFFECTIVE REGARDING MEXICAN MONEY

No American or Other Kind of Gold Can Be Brought Out of Mexico; Only Mexican Money Used.

Beginning tomorrow the decree recently promulgated by the Mexican government prohibiting the use of any foreign money in Mexico except American gold, will be strictly enforced by the Mexican federal authorities at all points along the Mexican border in Mexico. All gold taken across the border into Mexico will not be allowed to be brought back and no American money except American gold will be accepted in Mexico.

All those having any gold in their possession when coming out of Mexico will have same confiscated by Mexican officers who will be stationed on the international bridges and will search all persons. It behooves all Americans entering Mexico to have their American money exchanged into Mexican money before entering Mexico, and then to get only the amount absolutely necessary.

Announcement.
The Latin-American Club will give a grand ball Monday evening, July 4th, beginning at 9 o'clock sharp, in commemoration of the anniversary of American Independence. The roof garden will be opened on this occasion for the serving of refreshments.
The Committee.
6-29-4t.

NOTICE.

To Everybody Who Goes Across the River:
After July 1st there will be cars running every few minutes from arvia Plaza down Convent Avenue to the foot-bridge and return. Fare 5 cents. Take Footbridge Flier Car. Thanks.
Yours for service,
JITNEY, Ltd.
6-22-8t.

A DENIAL.

To The Times:
"El Democrata" of Mexico City in its edition of the 28th published a telegram from Tampico, dated June 27th, in which General Arnulfo Gomez is quoted as saying that the notice that General Pablo Gonzalez had crossed into Mexico was given out by me. This is not true nor is the other statement, in the same alleged interview, that I had loaned my automobile to General Eduardo Hernandez in which to cross the border. Unfortunately General Gomez, without a personal investigation of such serious charges against the consular representative of a friendly country, has been duped by some of the many spies employed by his government, through the Mexican consulate in Laredo, Texas, the Mexican migration office in Nuevo Laredo or the military authorities there. Unfortunately some renegade Americans are among this long list of spies employed, not only to spy upon Mexican refugees living on the American side, but on both American and Mexican officials. That I have personal friends among the refugees, as among the officials of the present Mexican government, is true, and as a free-born American citizen I have and shall exercise the right to talk with personal friends wherever I find them, even if some of the minor officials of other countries and some renegade Americans object. The attention of the Department of State has been called to the statements attributed to General Gomez with a request that he be asked through the proper sources for proof.

RANDOLPH ROBERTSON,
American Consul.

BANKRUPTCY SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an order of sale to me issued and delivered by J. C. Scott, a Referee in Bankruptcy in and for the Southern District of Texas, at the former place of business of Flavio Vargas, bankrupt, in the Valls Building on Hidalgo Street, in Laredo, Texas, I will sell for cash at private sale, free of all liens, on Monday, July 11, 1921, and on each successive day thereafter until all of such property is disposed of, at the highest prices obtainable, all the stock of goods, fixtures and personal property belonging to the estate of Flavio Vargas, bankrupt.

Issued this 21st day of June, 1921.
F. M. RAMSAY,
Trustee of Flavio Vargas, Bankrupt.
6-24-4t.

Hello Boys!
We have just received a large assortment of the famous instructive "Gilbert" toys, Erectors, telegraph sets, wireless outfits, brick tower Erectors, wheel toys, puzzles, etc. Call and see our displays.
Central Hardware Store,
M. M. Treviño & Co.,
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JUDGE MULLALLY RINDERED DECISION OF IMPORTANCE

AFFECTS DEPOSIT OF MEXICAN MONEY MADE WITH BANKS.

Holds that Bank Has Right to Pay Depositor in Same Kind of Money as Deposited; Depositor Loses.

A decision of far-reaching significance to bankers along the Texas-Mexican and in fact the entire Mexican border and the interior of Texas as well was handed down by District Judge J. F. Mullally of the 49th Judicial District court in this city yesterday afternoon in the case of Mrs. Porfirio G. de Barrera vs. the Milmo National Bank of this city, the suit involving a deposit of Mexican money made with the bank by the plaintiff during the year 1911.

At the time stated Mrs. Barrera placed on time deposit with the Milmo National Bank the sum of 16,000 pesos in Mexican bank notes, which at that time had a valuation of two for one—or one peso was worth fifty cents American money. When the bank notes of Mexico fluctuated during the revolutions in Mexico and gradually became less and less, many of the banking institutions of that country closed their doors, and the currency remained in the possession of persons and banking institutions both in Mexico and this country. When Mrs. Barrera sought to withdraw her deposit from the Milmo National Bank the banking institution was prepared to pay her in the Mexican currency deposited, and then arose the question of the value of the money as compared to the time of deposit and withdrawal and she sought to have the deposit paid in Mexican coin. To determine who would lose by the fluctuation of the Mexican money the case was taken to court and yesterday Judge Mullally handed down a decision in favor of the bank, holding that under the custom existing before the revolutionary troubles in Mexico all the Mexican bank notes were recognized here as Mexican money, and that the bank had the right to tender Mexican bank notes in payment of the claim of Mrs. Barrera.

Under the terms of the decision handed down yesterday the plaintiff recovers in the same money which she deposited—Mexican currency—which at this time ranges in value from 14 to 20 cents on the American dollar instead of about 50 cents as it was worth at the time of deposit.

"On With the Dance" at Royal.
"On With the Dance," starring Mae Murry and David Powell, and which is founded on the play of the same name, will be the feature attraction at the Royal Theater on Sunday and Monday. This play is the latest release starring these two popular artists of the silent drama and critics pronounce them at their best in this offering.

Notice to the Public.

We wish to state that, due to the lack of good operatives, we have been obliged to suspend temporarily our publication of "Evolucion," and that we are making every effort to resume it under different conditions. We desire to add that it is untrue that we are going to publish a newspaper in opposition to the present government of Mexico, as some have maliciously stated, or that we have sold out to a prominent political refugee. Our past does not warrant the first supposition nor have we made any arrangements with regard to the latter, and so far as we are concerned we have been and will continue to be respectful and in favor of the present government of Mexico. We make this explanation for the information of the sensible people of Laredo, despising such malicious stories.

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BECAUSE we put the utmost quality into this one brand. Camels are as good as it's possible for skill, money and lifelong knowledge of fine tobaccos to make a cigarette.

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JUNE PLANTED CORN.

June sown sweet corn gives the best quality, according to many expert gardeners who maintain that the very highest quality is not attained standing about a foot apart.

Now for the artificial manures. When the corn has reached a height of about a foot, a light sprinkling of nitrate of soda is of great benefit, avoiding getting the nitrate upon the leaves of the plants and raking it lightly into the soil. When the corn is from two to three feet tall, some of the balanced fertilizers or bone meal can be sprinkled lightly and hoed in and that will be all that is necessary to give a good crop. These extra applications will not be necessary if the soil is good and rich to start and has been manured, but if there is any doubt about it or an absence of manure it will insure the crop.

It took ten years for people to become reconciled to yellow sweet corn. Now they don't want anything else since Golden Bantam has forced its worth upon everybody who likes sweet corn with its sugary quality, convenient sized ears, and certainty to crop. There are about four standard corns, Golden Bantam, Howling Mob, Country Gentleman and Stowell's Evergreen, all fine in quality and having their good points in size of cob and season of growth. The development now is in crosses with Golden Bantam, and these old-time favorites and some fine varieties have been secured with greater size of cob, but nobody can go wrong on Golden Bantam for a sure crop. It is a good plan to try some of the newer varieties which may take more kindly to the soil and conditions in your garden.

Corn planting in June gets a faster start because of the warmer weather and grows more rapidly than the earlier planted corn, the young plants developing under ideal temperature conditions, which is also another reason why June corn is likely to have finer ears and of better quality.

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When the corn has germinated and gained a height of three inches it will need to be thinned out. It will need to be thinned out every other two plants so that the strongest ones will be left standing about a foot apart.

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DISTRICT COURT NEARS END AFTER TWO LONG SESSIONS

Sixteen Consecutive Weeks, Divided Into Two Terms, Come to An End Here Saturday Afternoon.

Only two more days of the present term of the district court for the 49th Judicial District in this city remain, as the court will adjourn for the term on Saturday afternoon and there will be no more court here until September, following terms in Dimmitt and Zapata counties.

There have been sixteen consecutive weeks of court here, divided into two terms of eight weeks each, and while the criminal docket was unusually light at the last term, the number of convictions at the previous term was a record-breaker.

Notice.

To my patrons and the public: I now have a phone at my dairy and can take orders and deliver to any part of the city. Pure Jersey sweet milk, butter and buttermilk. Sweet milk at 15c a quart. Phone 839.
IRWIN DAIRY,
North Laredo.
6-18-1m.

LOCAL NEWS

—Mirando No. 5 well will be spudded in tomorrow by Driller Middlebrook of the Mirando Oil Co. As this well will be drilled in a different direction from No. 3 than No. 4 was it is expected that good production will be found around the 1,450-foot depth.

—Laredo people today bid adieu to Lieutenant Glascock and the twenty men of the aviation camp, who leave tonight for their station at Kelly Field, while Captain Kice also leaves tonight, going to his new station at Ellington Field.

—The following marriage license has been issued by the county clerk since last report: Eulogio Alvarez and Miss Hortensia Jaramilla.

—Flores Avenue, which was badly torn up and disheveled as a result of the operations of the big trench-digger on that thoroughfare, is now having its back scratched and is being given a rolling down by the street roller.

—The University of Aguilares and the San Ignacio Medical College will engage in an exhibition of the great national sport at the San Ignacio ball park on the afternoon of July 4. A grand barbecue will be served and music will be furnished by the Zapata Military Band.

—The importations through the port of Laredo yesterday afternoon consisted of one carload of litle and some truckloads of goods also brought across the international footbridge.

—Don't forget to go out to Caliche Park tomorrow afternoon and witness that Rotarian-Kiwanian ball game.

—Charley Chaplin in the big First National play, "The Old Swimmin' Hole," is the feature attraction at the Rio Theater today and tomorrow. Everybody in Laredo should see that picture, as it will carry them back to the days that they were the kind of a kid Charles Ray impersonates.

PROTEST OF CHINESE.

By Associated Press.

Peking, June 30.—The Peking Chinese Chamber of Commerce is supporting Chinese merchants in their protest against the Philippine book-keeping law which will compel merchants after November 1 to keep their books in English, Spanish or one of the native dialects. A resolution by the Chamber says in part: "The Chinese language as a matter of equity should be recognized as one of the official languages." The resolution points out that the disorganization of business carried on by the Chinese in the islands would seriously affect the whole industry of the Philippines.

Watch THE TIMES everyday for opportunities. 60c. per month.

ODD AND INTERESTING.

India has more than three times as many people as the United States. The first American soda fountain has just been installed in Cairo, Egypt.

Of the 28 richest men in the United States more than half live in New York State.

Grindstones made of wood, with the face pounded full of pebbles, were used in olden times.

Some of the Parisian tailors issue elaborate catalogues and photographs containing designs for clothing of pet dogs.

The percentage of foreign-born people of the whole population of the United States is smaller today than it has been since 1860.

A Canadian entomologist asserts that in one season the descendants of a pair of potato bugs would, if unchecked, number 60,000,000.

Scientists have computed that in eight years the progeny of one pair of gypsy moths could destroy all the foliage in the United States.

Askelon, the ancient city often mentioned in the Bible, is now being explored, one recovered relic being the foot, a yard long, of a gigantic statue.

Through a combination of the microphone and wireless telephony it is believed that it will be possible for the Japanese in Tokyo to listen to opera given in Berlin.

WHAT WAS IT?

A prominent member of the telephone fraternity in Texas used to take his small son with him downtown and perch him on a chair while he played a game of billiards. One evening at dinner the youngster broke the silence by asking:

"Mumster, what kind of a game is it that daddy plays when he takes a sticks an' hits a ball an' them says, 'Oh, Hell!?'—The Transmitter (Texas.)

IN THE DAY'S NEWS

JULY 1.

John C. Koons, who today retires from the position of First Assistant Postmaster General of the United States, entered the postal service a quarter of a century ago as a railway mail clerk at a salary of \$1,000 a year. His ability and efficiency attracted the attention of his chiefs, and he was transferred to Washington and made a postoffice inspector. Postmaster General Hitchcock promoted him to the position of chief of salaries and allowances and Postmaster General Burleson promoted him to be chief inspector of the Post Office Department. Five years ago he was nominated by President Wilson as First Assistant Postmaster General. Thus, he had the rare record of holding over from a Republican Administration and raised to the highest appointive post in the department by the succeeding Administration.

TODAY'S EVENTS.

Celebration of Dominion Day throughout Canada.

Twenty-five years ago today died Harriet Beecher Stowe, author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

A new administrative code, reorganizing the State government of Ohio, is to come into effect today.

General John J. Pershing today will assume supreme command of all the military forces of the United States.

The nineteenth biennial meeting of the National Congregational Council is to begin its sessions today at Los Angeles.

The President and Mrs. Harding are to leave Washington today to spend the Fourth at the home of Senator Frelinghuysen of New Jersey.

A ten per cent reduction in standard passenger railway fares is to become effective today throughout eastern Canada.

The annual encampment of the Oregon Division of the American Legion is to be entertained at Eugene during the two days beginning today.

Louisiana's new State Constitution, the first basic law in the framing of which women have had a hand, is to come into operation today.

WAR ON LEGION BACHELORS

Women's Auxiliary of Sunflower State Issues Ultimatum to Unmarried Ex-Service Fellows.

War on bachelors has been declared by Kansas. Women of the Sunflower State contend that unattached men can't get along without them.

In furtherance of the fight, Miss McCoy of Topeka, Department secretary of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion is spreading the battle cry: "No bachelor posts in Kansas." Every group of Legionnaires is to have an Auxiliary, according to Auxiliary officials.

"Who else can give you fine home cooking with your banquets? Who else can straighten up the club house and give it a homelike appearance? Who knows more about service than the women?" the propaganda reads. Legion prisoners captured in the campaign are being treated to fried chicken, pies, cakes and dainties and patchings.

Miss McCoy entered the business world as an assistant in a Kansas bank. During the war she stepped into a position vacated by a soldier, held it throughout hostilities and gave it back to the doughboy when he came home.

General Mention.

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GREENLAND'S CONVERTER



Two hundred years ago Greenland was rediscovered by a famous Danish missionary, Johannes Egede, who converted the Eskimos and was created bishop of Greenland. This summer Greenland will celebrate the bi-centennial and King Christian X of Denmark will pay a formal visit to the island. The photo shows an old portrait of Bishop Johannes Egede.

Perhaps. "The course of true love never does run smooth." "Well, that keeps the young people interested."

Describing himself as a "Sparkler," and being asked what it meant, a witness in a London court said, "I sell imitation diamonds to servant girls."



Blossom Time.
So long as there is April
My heart is high
Lifting up its white dreams
To the sky.

As trees hold up their blossoms
In a blowing cloud,
My hands are reaching
My hands are proud.

All the crumbled splendors
Of autumn, and the cries
Of winds that I remember
Cannot make me wise.

Like the trees of April
Fearless and fair—
My heart swings its censers
Through the golden air.
—Hazel Hull, in Yale Review.

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ELECTION PROCLAMATION.

I, A. Winslow, County Judge in and for Webb County, Texas, in pursuance of Article 2930 REVISED STATUTES of Texas, of 1911, and joint resolutions passed at the regular Session of the 37th Legislature of the State, do hereby order an election to be held on Saturday the 23rd of July, 1921, in Webb County, Texas, for the purpose of voting for or against amendments to the Constitution of the State of Texas as follows:

FOR or AGAINST: An Amendment of Article 17, Section 58, of the Constitution, abolishing the Board of Prison Commissioners.

FOR or AGAINST: An Amendment to Sections 5 and 21 and 22 and 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for compensation of executive officers.

FOR or AGAINST: An Amendment of Section 51 of Article 3 of the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to grant aid to Confederate Soldiers, Sailors, and their widows who have been residents of this State since January 1, 1910.

FOR or AGAINST: An Amendment to Section 24 of Article 3 of the Constitution relating to mileage and per diem of members of the Legislature of the State of Texas.

FOR or AGAINST: An Amendment of Section 2 of Article 6 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that only native born or naturalized citizens of the United States shall be qualified electors in this State, and providing that either the husband or wife may pay the poll tax of the other and receive the receipt therefor, and permitting the Legislature to authorize absentee voting.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Laredo, Texas, this 30th day of June, 1921.

A. WINSLOW,
County Judge.

ONE DIFICULTY.

The Doctor—So you still complain of insomnia. Did you follow my suggestion and try to count a flock of sheep as they escaped through a hole in the fence?

The Sap—Yes, doctor; but every time I got up to fifty I became so frightfully sleepy that I lost count and had to pull myself together to start all over again.—Minneapolis Journal.

FOREIGN CORPORATION.

By Associated Press.
Austin, Texas, July 1.—A foreign corporation organized for profit with no par value stock may do business in Texas, but the fee and franchise tax for admittance will be charged in accordance with the laws of the state where the corporation originated, according to a ruling of the attorney general's department today.

ENLARGED GIFT.

By Associated Press.
London, July 1.—Lord Lee, who recently donated to the nation his beautiful country residence, "Chequers," in Buckinghamshire, as a residence for the Prime Minister, has now considerably enlarged his gift. He had added to it several farms, aggregating about 700 acres, and some 600 acres of woodland.

The farms are fully equipped with livestock and up-to-date farm machinery, buildings, barns and growing crops and include seven cottages just completed. With the woodland goes a new steam sawmill. The Ministry of Agriculture will be the custodians of the property.

The Minister of Agriculture hopes to utilize the gift not only to help educate farmers out also the Prime Minister, whoever he may happen to be.

BASEBALL GOSSIP.

The St. Louis Cardinals are leading the National league in team batting with a mark over 300.

The season was nearly two months old before Eppa Rixey of the Cincinnati Reds made a putout.

"Irish" Mousel of the Phillies is leading his brother Bob, Yankee slugger, in making home runs 9 to 6. Tim Hendryx has a fielding average of 1000 and is the only Red Sox regular with the high mark.

The Cleveland world's champions seem to lose considerable of their pep without their pilot, Tris Speaker, in the line-up.

Manager Johnny Evers is hard pressed for pitchers. His Cubs were going along at a fine clip until the hurling staff blew up.

For some unexplained reason the Brooklyn champions have played much better ball away from home than they played on their own lot.

Art Neuf has won 7 and lost 2 games this season. He has pitched more full games than any other Giant twirler.

The New York Americans and Philadelphia Nationals are running neck-and-neck for the home run honors of the season.

Every time Ping Bodie returns to the Yanks' line-up after a few days on the bench he can be counted on to do some nifty hitting.

Second Baseman Cutshaw of the Pittsburgh Pirates is leading the National league base stealers, with Max Carey of the same team right on his heels.

It surely is a season of terrific hitting, with 60 players in the American and 45 in the National league clouting the ball for 300 or better.

BENTON HARBOR WILL STAGE NOVEL FIGHT EXHIBITION TO DESCRIBE THE BIG BOUT

Benny Leonard and His Brother will Duplicate the Battle in New Jersey by Actual Ring Work Taken from the Telegraphic Report of the Championship Combat Sent from Ringside.

OPPOSITION TO TAFT DEVELOPS

"IRRECONCILABLES" ANNOUNCED
THEIR STAND AGAINST
HIM AS CHIEF
JUSTICE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, July 1.—William Howard Taft's confirmation as chief justice was not without opposition yesterday. Senators Borah, Johnson, La Follette and Watson of Georgia voted against the nomination. Although elected president from Ohio, the new chief justice will be credited to Connecticut, since he resided at New Haven after leaving the White House.

RAIL WORKERS AWAIT DECISION

QUESTION OF WAGE CUTS LEFT
TO COMMITTEE OF FIVE
TO MAKE FINAL
DECISION.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, July 1.—A million five hundred thousand railway employees today went to work at reduced wages, while a thousand of their union leaders assembled here for conferences which are relied upon to keep transportation channels open and decide the matter of cuts in wages. While the union leaders voiced the dissatisfaction of the rail workers toward the labor board's decision authorizing the cuts, there were predictions that they would all vote to abide by the order with some formal protest. A decision on their part to order a walkout would not be final, as such an order would first be submitted to a referendum vote of many organizations that have not yet voted on the question.

Referred to Committee.

Chicago, July 1.—Final decision on the wage decrease which went into effect today on the railroads will be referred to a committee of five representing 16 unions. The executives decided this today and instructed the formulation of recommendations. Ninety-five per cent of the membership of the international brotherhood of firemen and others voted against acceptance of the wage decrease. It was officially announced. The committee is composed of President Jewell of the employees' department of the American Federation of Labor; President Fitzgerald of the Brotherhood of Railroad and Steamship Clerks; President Sheppard of the Railway Conductors; President Krider of the International Brotherhood of Firemen and Oilers; and President Manion of the Railway Telegraphers. The big four brotherhoods, after a short session at which the wage situation was outlined, separated, the engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen going in separate groups. The four groups will report to the general convention tomorrow.

Investigation Suspended.

Washington, July 1.—The senate investigation of the railway situation was suspended today by Chairman Cummins of the Interstate railway

committee until the middle or the latter part of August. This is taken to mean that there will be no railway relief legislation at the present extra session of congress. Mr. Cummins said suspension of the inquiry was deemed inadvisable in view of the inclination of the senate to take a summer recess. Representatives of labor and shipper are yet to be heard.

Make Last Effort.

Jersey City, N. J., July 1.—The International Reform Bureau today will make a last effort to stop the Dempsey-Carpentier bout. Superintendent Crafts said he would stake all on the grand jurors indicting Promoter Rickard for violating the criminal law of the state.

Left for Week-End.

Dallas, Texas, July 1.—President and Mrs. Harding and a party of friends left here today by train for their vacation at the home of Senator Frelinghuysen at Raritan, New Jersey.

One Dollar Saved Represents Ten Dollars Earned.

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he can not be too careful about unnecessary expenses. Very often a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars.

A leading firm of London photographers, whose specialty consists of pictures of royalty and well-known beauties, insures its great collection of negatives for \$50,000.

FORDNEY TALKS ON THE TARIFF

SAYS IT WILL GREATLY BENEFIT
INDUSTRY AND LABOR OF
THE ENTIRE
COUNTRY.

By Associated Press.

Washington, July 1.—Chairman Fordney of the house ways and means committee in his first formal statement today on the permanent tariff bill said he did not "herald it as a panacea for all national difficulties," but predicted that its effects on American industry and American labor would be entirely beneficial. Discussing the American valuation provision, Mr. Fordney said it had been contended that "the proposal was one to secure some sort of concealed protection and that it was a cloak under which import duties would be materially increased."

COTTON CROPS LOWEST IN YEARS

LESS THAN NINE MILLION BALES
IS FORECAST BY THE DE-
PARTMENT OF AGRI-
CULTURE.

By Associated Press.

Washington, July 1.—A cotton crop of 8,433,000 bales this year is forecast by the department of agriculture, basing its estimate on the area under cultivation June 25, which was 26,519,000 acres. Condition of the crop on that date was 62.9 per cent of normal. The acreage this year is the smallest since 1900. The department said never before had there been so great a change from one year to another in acreage. The condition of the growing crop has not in 20 years been so low on June 25 as this year. Cotton production this year promises to be the smallest in the last quarter century, today's forecast of the department of agriculture indicated.

Boll Weevil Infested.

Dallas, Texas, July 1.—Two-thirds of the cotton in Texas is infested with boll weevil, according to a statement today from the Texas Farm Bureau Federation. The situation is serious, and in some sections the crop is reported from 10 days to two weeks late and needs dry, hot weather badly. The condition is 72 per cent of normal, the report showing an acreage reduction of 81 per cent. The condition of food and feed crops is reported good.

FOREST FIRES RAGING.

By Associated Press.

Duluth, Minn., July 1.—Two forest fires in the Superior National forest burned over between 600 and 800 acres of pine timber and are still raging, it was learned today.

PERSHING NOW CHIEF.

By Associated Press.

Washington, July 1.—General Pershing today became chief of staff of the army, relieving Major General March, who was given leave of absence effective until his retirement in November.

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COAL STRIKE ENDED.

After three months of the greatest strike Great Britain has ever seen, the coal miners finally have been forced to call off the strike and accept the government terms.

From some standpoints, the coal mine situation in Great Britain was similar to the railroad situation in our own country. The mines, which had been operated by the government during the war, were suddenly turned back to their owners, and the latter immediately announced that they could not pay the high wages fixed by the government control and still make a profit. In fact, some of them declared they would be forced to operate at a considerable loss.

The operators demanded the right to fix wages by districts, while the miners demanded that the "national" scale be kept up. They offered to "permit" a profit of 10 per cent of the wages paid to the workers, the 10 per cent to come out of a government subsidy, and to continue working at the old scale. Failing this agreement, they struck.

As soon as the radicals in the country, some of them foreigners, attempted to force a general strike to secure recognition of the miners' demands, the government took a hand, raised a large military force and even swore in many private citizens to "carry on" in case of a stoppage of transportation and industry.

This caused the railway and transport men to desert the miners, who had promised their aid to secure increased wages and the strike was over.

One factor that made the fight of the coal operators almost hopeless was the importation of foreign coal from America, Belgium and Germany at a lower price than they asked for the home product.

The Belgian and German coal could be shipped in cheaply because the Germans were turning over large quantities of coal in payment of the indemnities to France and Belgium; there was a surplus in both countries, and the surplus was disposed of to English manufacturers and shippers, which broke the British market and caused the defeat of the strike.

An attempt was made to secure an agreement by the American coal miners that they would strike if American coal was shipped to England, but this agreement was defeated by the American miners themselves, as they did not care to put themselves out of work for the sake of helping their British companions.

The railroads of our country are in much the same position as the mines of England. The government period of control not only placed the wage scales at a figure which is claimed to be too high to permit a profit on railway investments, but the agreement entered into between the government and the railway employees is national, not sectional, and the railway managements claim that this is unjust.

The railroad labor board has decided that a cut of twelve per cent is just and equitable, and the railroad unions are now considering the question of acceptance of this dictum or of a general railway strike that would paralyze not only transportation, but industry as well.

It is believed that the good judgment of the leaders will cause the unions to accept this cut as something inevitable and to have been expected in view of the gradually reducing cost of living.

Some of the radicals want the "nationalization" of the railways through the "Plumb plan," while others realize that the failure of the soviet government is proof that the world is not yet ready for the "socialization" of industries and public utilities, and the failure of the British coal miners' strike is proof that sanity still rules wherever a controversy occurs between employers and employees.

But the terrible cost to the British people can never be repaid, and labor and capital should go together in the future and resolve that such disastrous strikes shall not occur.

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION OF THE HOPSON-DAVIES COMPANY.

To Whom It May Concern

Notice is hereby given, that Ben W. Hopson, John D. Davies, David D. Davies, Sr., and Guy C. Cocreham, composing the partnership, known as the Hopson-Davies Company, doing business under the name and style of Hopson-Davies Company, in the City of Laredo, Webb County, Texas, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 16th day of June, 1921, and thereafter, to-wit: On the 21st day of June, 1921, said Ben W. Hopson, John D. Davies, David D. Davies, Sr., and Guy C. Cocreham, duly incorporated under the laws of Texas, under the name and style of the Hopson-Davies Company, being charter No. 35555, issued by the Secretary of State, June 21st, 1921, and that said Corporation is now engaged in the character of business authorized by its charter in the City of Laredo, Webb County, Texas.

Signed, BEN W. HOPSON, DAVID D. DAVIES, Sr., JOHN D. DAVIES, GUY C. COCREHAM.

Laredo, Texas, July 2, 1921.

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FIDO, GO BACK TO YOUR CORNER!

He—Well, wasn't the agreement that I should be allowed to go over to Simpkins' tonight.

She (sternly)—Yes, but I have changed our mind.

DEPRESSING REPORTS COME FROM MONTEREY MERCHANTS

Stated Several Are Going to Close Down Temporarily Because of Poor Business and Little Cash.

News comes from Monterey that one of the large business concerns there has closed its doors, for a time at least, and will not do any more business until better times. Other concerns are reported as about to take the same step. They will buy no more goods and will keep their present stocks in preference to selling on uncertain credit.

For some time past it has been growing more apparent each day that the Mexican people have no money with which to buy goods, and credit has been so uncertain that many merchants preferred to open no new accounts, but rather close up the old ones.

Transportation troubles also had their effect on this recent decision to go out of business temporarily, and altogether the prospects are anything but cheerful. Recovery from the abnormal conditions of the past few years has been slow, and not until conditions have improved will the old established firms feel like expanding to any extent.

Observe the Fourth.

The Piggly Wiggly will be closed all day Monday, July 4th.

JOHN ARMENGOL IN LAREDO AFTER ABSENCE FOUR YEARS

Since the Time He Left Here Early in 1917 He Has Been Making His Home in Barcelona, Spain.

John Armengol, a well known business man of Laredo and property owner of Webb county, who left Laredo in 1917 for Spain on a business trip, returned here on Wednesday afternoon after an absence of four years.

During the time he has been absent from Laredo he has been located at his old home in Barcelona, Spain, but is glad to get back to Laredo.

Notice.

Sunday hours will be observed Monday, July 4th.

Consumers Ice & Fuel Co.

Notice.

To my patrons and the public: I now have a phone at my dairy and can take orders and deliver to any part of the city. Pure Jersey sweet milk, butter and buttermilk. Sweet milk at 15c a quart. Phone 889.

IRWIN DAIRY,

North Laredo.

SOME GOOD BASEBALL GAMES SCHEDULED SUNDAY-MONDAY

Legion and Laredos Play Tomorrow; Also Again Monday, With Nationals and Commercial Teams.

While the 17th Infantry team has gone to Corpus to play the team of that city during the big celebration there, and the Airdrome team has ceased to exist as a result of the abandonment of the aviation camp here, the other two teams of the Laredo Baseball League, the Laredos and the American Legion, will cross bats at Caliche Park tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

On Monday morning and afternoon there will be games between the winner of tomorrow's game, the reorganized National team and the four teams of the Laredo Commercial League. All these games promise to be interesting contests from start to finish and it is hoped they will be attended by large crowds.

Denies Statement.

On June 28th a news despatch originating in Brownsville stated that a band of twenty men, headed by Ismael Rodriguez, had crossed the Rio Grande into Mexico at Hidalgo. Just how Brownsville should be so well informed as to what was happening thirty miles up the river from Laredo is not clear. At any rate, Mr. Rodriguez, who was formerly commander of the customs fiscal guards in Nuevo Laredo, was in Mercy Hospital at the time mentioned and for several days previous, and has a local doctor's certificate to that effect. This is another example of the "yarns" that are sprung on the public by some correspondents.

NOTICE.

The International & Great Northern Railway Company, James A. Baker, Receiver, hereby gives notice that it will sell at Laredo, Texas, on the 1st day of August, 1921, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 11 a. m. at the Freight Depot of the said International & Great Northern Railway Company, the following described property to-wit: 1 box iron plugs for tractor wheels, said shipment covered by El Paso Transfer, Texas, to Laredo, Texas, way bill F-108 dated on June 21st, 1918; consigned to E. San Martin Sucr., Puebla, Mexico, shipped by Mayer Bros. Co., Mankato, Minn.

Said goods are hereby advertised for sale in accordance with the Texas Statute Law covering the sale of refused and unclaimed freight for freight and other legally accrued charges.

F. B. WRIGHT, Agent for Receiver

KIWANIS CLUB CHAMPIONS BY DEFEATING ROTARIANS

Game Yesterday Was a Sluggest For One Side and a Big Score Was Piled Up By the Winning Team.

Laredo Kiwanis Club, 18; Laredo Rotary Club, 8. That is the score of the game played yesterday afternoon between the two local organizations to determine the championship of Laredo, after each team had won a game on previous occasions. The batteries for the Kiwanis were Proffitt, Wormser and Jambers, and for the Rotarians it was Trout and Sames and Richter.

The details of the game are too said to relate, it would touch the heart-strings of all, so suffice to say the Kiwanis are the champs. If the details were related it would put a damper on the spirit of all the losers and they would not celebrate the Glorious Fourth as they should.

NOW COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS TOOK OVER JOB YESTERDAY

Roy Campbell Assumed Collectorship When He Furnished Bond and Took Oath of Office July 1.

You can now doff your hat to Collector of Customs Roy Campbell of this district, for he ceased to be plain Roy Campbell yesterday morning, when he furnished the necessary bond and took the oath, thus qualifying for the collectorship of the most important customs district of Texas.

The oath of office was taken in San Antonio yesterday morning and he immediately assumed charge of the new duties incumbent on him. Collector of Customs Campbell is expected to arrive in Laredo in a few days and may give out some important information regarding appointments, etc.

Attention Woodmen!

There will be no meeting Monday, account of being suddenly called away.

H. G. TEAL, Clerk.

Notice to the Public.

The following grocery stores will be closed all day Monday, July Fourth: Sanitary Grocery, L. Nelson, C. O. D. Grocery and John Colman.

American Consulate Moved.

The American Consulate in Nuevo Laredo was removed today from its former location to quarters at No. 12 Calle Dr. Mier. The consulate will be closed Monday in observance of Independence Day, but will be open for business in the new quarters on Tuesday.

Notice.

This office will be closed Monday, July 4th.

Laredo Water Co.

CELEBRATION WILL BE MILD FORT MCINTOSH CELEBRATES

No Elaborate Celebration of the Glorious Fourth in Laredo; Many Go to Corpus and Elsewhere.

Laredo has provided no elaborate celebration of the Glorious Fourth, but there will be appropriate exercises held at Fort McIntosh by the soldiery, together with speech-making, music, etc., while there will be several games of baseball at Caliche Park between teams of the Laredo and Commercial Leagues.

On Monday the banks, postoffice, federal, state, county and other departments will be closed, as will also most of the business houses of Laredo. Quite a number of Laredo people have gone to Corpus to spend the Glorious Fourth and take in the big festivities in the seaside city, while others have gone to San Antonio and elsewhere to spend our greatest of all holidays. Next year it is hoped that Laredo will celebrate this greatest of holidays in a most appropriate manner.

GRADUATION EXERCISES OF VOCATIONAL TRAINING CLASS

Will Take Place at Fort McIntosh Monday, Followed By Addresses, Salute and Grand Lawn Fete.

At 8:30 o'clock Monday morning (the Fourth of July) the graduation exercises of the class of soldiers of the vocational schools of Fort McIntosh will begin and the various graduates will be given their diplomas. Following the graduation exercises addresses will be made to the class and the soldiery generally by Robert L. Bobbitt and Fred A. Matthes of Laredo, and Colonel Cochran, commander of the Laredo District, and Major Rogers, director of vocational work at the Fort McIntosh training schools.

At noon on Monday a national salute will be fired in observance of the greatest of all our national holidays. At night beginning at 8:30 o'clock a grand lawn fete will be held on the parade grounds at Fort McIntosh, with music furnished by the Hawaiian Orchestra of the post.

Notice of Removal.

I have removed my office quarters from the Valls building to the Wilcox building, upstairs, with entrance near telegraph office. I have installed a new powerful X-ray outfit and am able to care for all X-ray work.

E. H. SAUVIGNET, M. D.

6-15-1m.

LOCAL NEWS

—Owing to the rain last Sunday evening the first of the four studies in "What the Christian Believes" at the open air services on the Presbyterian lawn was postponed until tomorrow evening. The subject tomorrow evening will be "What the Christian Believes About God and Christ."

—Mrs. del Barrio, 118 Hidalgo St. does hemstitching, plotting, dress-making, alterations of all kinds. Prices and work will please.

—George L. Saunders, who was arrested yesterday charged with violation of the liquor laws, was given an examining hearing this morning before Justice of the Peace Atlee and bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$300, which he failed to provide and was remanded to jail.

—Walter Brown, manager of the Laredo Abstract Company, has commenced business at Room 21, Bertani building. Phone 306.

—We do multigraph work; 1109 Iturbide street.

—The following marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk since last report: Isabel Barrientos and Miss Hortensia Diaz, Rodolfo Estrada and Miss Dolores Mercado.

—A. Saft, books and stationery.

—Gasoline 17c per gallon in barrel lots. Auto Supply Company, Phone 1414.

—All the federal, state and city branches of government, and also the four banks, postoffice and numerous business houses of Laredo will be closed on Monday in observance of the Glorious Fourth, but The Times will issue its regular edition on next Monday afternoon.

—Piano tuning and repairing. Work guaranteed. Phone 1045.

—Philadelphia diamond grid battery sales and service. Phone 646.

—Fort McIntosh will have graduation exercises of its graduates in vocational training on Monday morning beginning at 8:30 o'clock, following by orations. At noon a national salute will be fired and at night a grand lawn fete will wind up the observance of the Glorious Fourth.

—If you need a plumber in a hurry Phone 1203 Juarez Plumbing.

—Cut flowers and floral offerings. Green, the florist. Phone Crockett 410.

—Many of those who went to Corpus to take in the big celebration there will return home Tuesday telling about what they saw depicting themselves in the surf down there.

—Do you desire comfort? Use electric lights and fans.

—We paint automobiles; also make auto tops. Fidel Cantu, Phone 202.

—District clerk is over after sixteen weeks of grinding and the court officials can now rest up and take things a la vacation mode until September, when the mills of Justice will begin grinding in these parts again.

—Two Terms of Eight Weeks Each, One a Record-Breaker and the Other a Mild One, Come to End.

The last term of the district court of the 49th Judicial District in Webb county to an end this afternoon, marking the termination of sixteen consecutive weeks of court divided into two terms of eight weeks each.

When court adjourned this afternoon it marked the beginning of the summer vacation for the court officials, as there will be no more court in this judicial district until September, when it convenes for a session of four weeks at Carrizo Springs, in Dimmit county.

The first term of eight weeks of court was marked by the disposition of the heaviest criminal docket in the history of the county, following the returning of fifty-four bills of indictment, while the last term of eight weeks was just the reverse, the criminal docket being very light and only eleven bills of indictment being returned. The next court for Laredo will be during the month of October.

LAREDO WILL MEET CORPUS IN GAMES AGAIN THIS YEAR

Crack 17th Infantry Ball Team Will Represent This City in Annual Ball Games at Seaside City.

The oldtime custom of annual baseball games on the Glorious Fourth at Corpus Christi between Laredo and Corpus Christi teams will be resumed again this year, when Laredo will be represented by the crack 17th Infantry team of the Laredo Baseball League, while Corpus Christi will have her team of the Gulf Coast League to meet the soldiers. There will be two games on Sunday and two on Monday between these teams.

The 17th Infantry team, accompanied by a number of soldier and civilian rooters and several hundred other Laredites left here today for Corpus over the Texas-Mexican road to take in the three-day celebration at the seaside and attend the ball games and are expected to return here on Tuesday afternoon.

HAPPIEST WOMAN IN THE STATE NOW

MRS. SMITH SAYS IT WOULD BE UNGRATEFUL NOT TO TELL OTHERS OF TANLAC.

"I believe I'm the happiest woman in California today and it is all because of what Tanlac has done for me," said Mrs. Eugene Smith, a prominent and popular Los Angeles woman who resides at 680 West 25th Street. Mrs. Smith is an officer of the Eastern Star and other organizations.

"For six years I suffered from a complication of troubles that finally led to a general breakdown. I had awful pains around my heart, which I was told, were caused by pleurisy. My kidneys were in such bad condition I had constant pains in my back and my neck and shoulders would get stiff at times and my limbs would swell so I could hardly walk, I was so nervous that even the ringing of the door bell upset me and it seemed impossible to get a good night's sleep. I tried everything I could hear of to get relief, even to having all my teeth treated, but kept getting worse and became so weak and emaciated that I weighed only one hundred pounds. Finally they took me to the hospital and I stayed there six weeks, but did not seem to improve in the least, so I was brought home and had just about given up hope when a friend persuaded me to try Tanlac.

"I began to feel better after the first few doses and by the time I had taken four bottles of Tanlac I had gained eighteen pounds in weight and felt as well and strong as I ever did in my life, for every one of my troubles had left me.

"The results from Tanlac must be permanent, for it has been four months since I took my last dose and I feel as well now as I did then, and I think I would be ungrateful not to tell others what a wonderful medicine Tanlac is."

Tanlac is sold in Laredo, by City Drug Store, and all leading druggists.

SOCIETY

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Sunday.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian Church meets at 6:45 at the church Sunday evening.

The Junior B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist Church will meet at the church at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. will meet at the Baptist Church at 7 o'clock in the evening.

The Epworth League of the Methodist Church will hold its regular meeting in the League room of the Methodist Church at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian Church will meet in the church at 6:45 p. m.

Monday.

The Cottillon Class will meet at Elks Club at 8 o'clock in the evening.
